

Indications are fair and colder to-night; Tuesday fair, fresh westerly winds diminishing.

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## THE STATE BRANCH

## Of Federation of Labor in Session in Lowell

With one of the largest representation of delegates in its history, the Massachusetts State branch of the American Federation of Labor commenced its 23d annual convention in Associate hall, this city, today. Of a total membership of 213 local unions and 29 central labor unions as shown in the report of Acting Secretary Joyce of Boston, there were present delegates from nearly 25 directly affiliated local unions and each of the 29 central bodies was represented.

Among those in attendance were Secretary-Treasurer Dennis Driscoll and Arthur M. Huddell of Boston who were with President Edward Cohen of the state branch when the latter was fatally shot a year ago while calling upon Governor Guild at the state house. Secretary Driscoll was himself wounded and has lately been able to leave the home.

The convention was organized in Associate hall by Philip Sweet of Boston, appointed to the office of president following the death of Mr. Cohen.

With the appointment of committees and the convention officers the delegates were ready for the annual reports of the state officials and of those special committees which had been delegated to report upon subjects of interest of labor at this year's convention. Among these later matters probably the most important to be considered was the report of the legislative committee. It was also expected that resolutions would be adopted concerning the attitude of the state unions on the existing strike of lathers in Lynn.

William E. Regan of Lowell was appointed sergeant-at-arms; M. A. Lee of Lowell, messenger, and James R. Cozler of Boston, carriage and wagon workers, assistant secretary.

Miss Anna T. Bour of Boston Cigar Factory Tobacco Strippers' union \$15, A. F. of L. was the only woman delegate. Mr. Joseph P. Convery of the local branch, was the first speaker introduced by the chairman. He was an address of welcome on the part of the local branch.

Mr. Convery outlined the program for the convention and gave all a hearty welcome. When Mr. Convery called attention of the convention to the fact that Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan, had donated the hall for the convention, there was one roar of applause that might have been heard in Merrimack square.

Mr. Convery referred to Mr. O'Sullivan as labor's best friend in Lowell and perhaps in Massachusetts.

Mayor Farnham.

Mayor Farnham followed Mr. Convery and gave the city's welcome to the delegates.

"The city of Lowell," he said, "was a city of labor and we cannot but be proud of the unionism that seeks to improve conditions. Its efforts are to lend a helping hand to the weak, and I hope that your convention will be a harmonious one and that you will enjoy and benefit yourselves."

Chairman Sweet's remarks.

The chairman, in behalf of the delegates, thanked Mayor Farnham for his words of welcome and in explaining the purpose and necessity of the association, said:

"We believe that we are entitled to some of the good things of life. We want clubs, we want homes, we want work and we want leisure."

"To ask for these things individually would be foolish, indeed, and therefore we ask it collectively and there you have unionism."

This convention was brought to your city primarily to imbue the laboring people here with the spirit to help themselves.

"We are all endowed with a certain amount of intelligence and we should make the best of our talents. We must help each other and in union there is strength."

President Sweet in his annual report deplored the loss to union interests of Secretary Cohen and the incapacity of Secretary Driscoll as a result of the shooting at the state house last December and in this connection praised Gov. Guild for his quickness of thought in disarming the lather, Steele.

"Organization has not progressed during the past year as fast as it ought," said Mr. Sweet, "but this is due in a large measure to the country's financial condition."

Injunctions and the Sherman anti-trust law received considerable attention in President Sweet's report. "There," he said, "have become twin weapons of attack to trade unions and members of trade unions of our state and country. Through the unrestricted issuance of injunctions any judge can prohibit trade unions and members of trade unions from the exercise of rights guaranteed to them by the constitution of both state and nation and by the issuance of the injunction endeavor to strangle the efforts of the members of trade unions to obtain and maintain fair conditions of labor. It is right and duty of every union man to use every effort within his means to have the power of the judges to issue injunctions so restricted as to prohibit the issuance of an injunction in a case where if a labor difficulty were not involved an injunction would not be issued."

By a ruling of the Supreme court in connection with the Sherman anti-trust law not a penny of the fund of our unions or the individual members are safe from the grasp of the unfair employer. The courts decide makes it possible for the unscrupulous employer to so attach our funds as to almost amount to confiscation."

The old house and the new should have a WINCHESTER HEATER.

WELCH BROS., 81-83 Middle st.

"These funds have been contributed by us so that we may protect ourselves and our families in times of sickness and death and our union men should use every effort to the end that such an amendment will be made as will confine the law to the scope for which it was originally intended."

Secretary Joyce in his annual report discussed the workings of the civil service laws in connection with their effect upon labor; recited upon the work of the legislative committee, reporting that the senate of last year did not pass a single labor measure; urged the contribution by each of the affiliated unions of a sum of money to be devoted to the furthering of labor's interest in the legislature and advocated united opposition to the movement for the establishment of industrial trade schools throughout the state.

Acting Secretary Martin T. Joyce in his report referred to the sad tragedy at the state house and called attention to the presence of Secretary-Treasurer D. D. Driscoll, who resumed his work with the convention. Sec. Treas. Driscoll, who had been given a tremendous welcome and held virtually a reception while the delegates were assembling, was accorded a flattering greeting.

He said that at the conclusion of the last convention, our late President Cohen and Secretary-Treasurer Driscoll took up the work referred by the delegates in the altering and revising various sections of the constitution and by-laws. He said that each delegate to the convention should read the constitution very carefully and submit any suggestion in regard to change if noted.

Speaking on civil service he said the matter should be taken up by the convention. He said it is an important question that concerns every man and woman.

## FUNERALS

PENDERGAST—The funeral of the late Mrs. Johanna Pendergast took place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late home, 257 Lakeview avenue, and was very largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The floral offerings consisted of a large pillow of red and white roses, inscribed "Dear Mother," from the family; large wreath of galax leaves and roses from the Misses Auchman and a large spray of purple chrysanthemums from the employees of the United Printing Co. Burial was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Mullen of St. Michael's church gave final absolution at the grave. The bearers were William Furlong, James Furlong, Peter Furlong and Patrick Curley. Funeral was in charge of Undertaker James W. McKenna.

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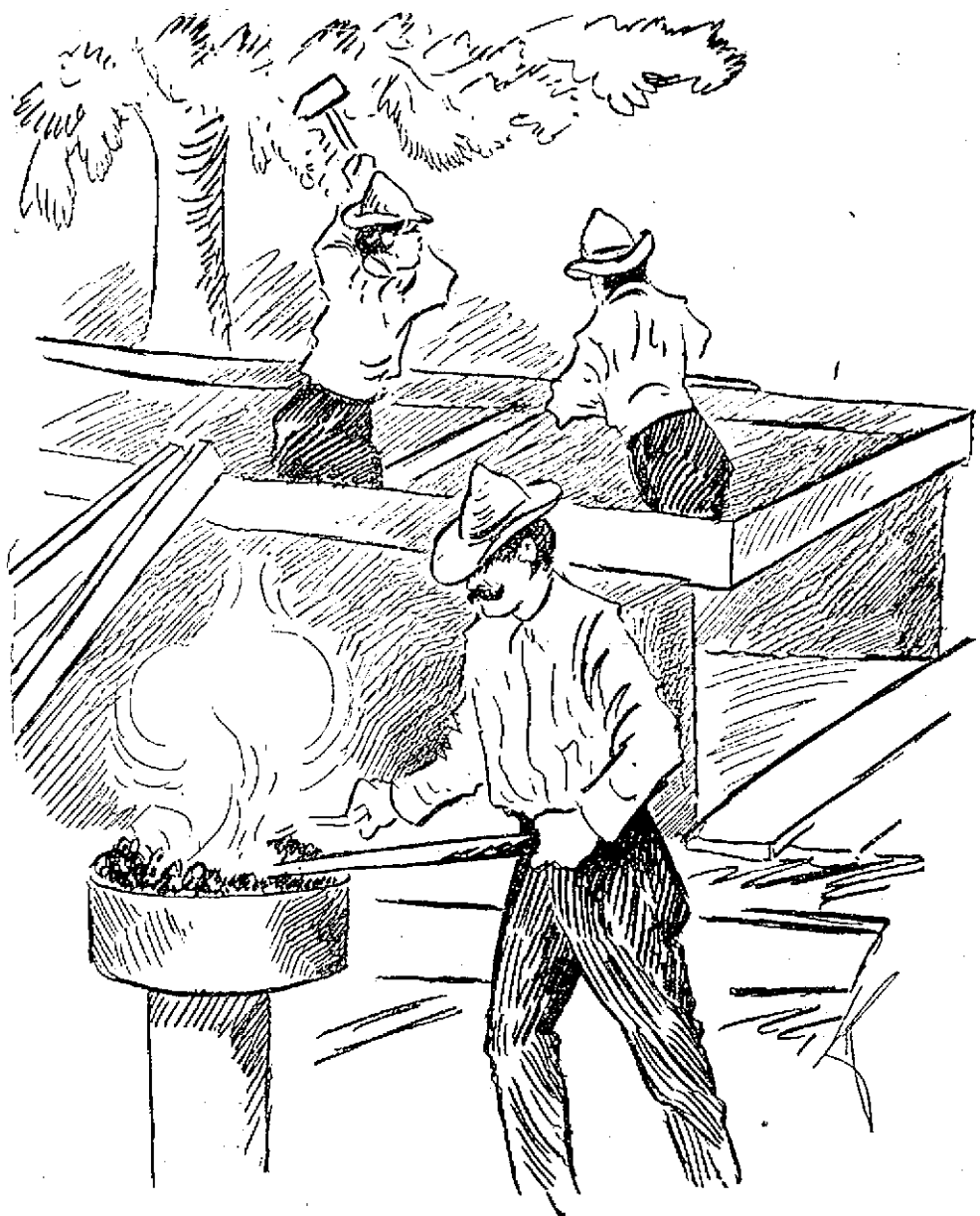
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WORKMEN BUILDING THE NEW IRON SIDEWALK ACROSS THE CANAL ON EAST MERRIMACK STREET.

## WIDENING BRIDGE

## The Work is Progressing Rapidly

The work of widening the canal bridge in Merrimack square, together with the lowering of the 24 inch water main under the northerly side of the bridge is progressing rapidly. The work which is being done by the United Construction Company of Albany is in charge of A. H. Kittredge, secretary of the company.

The original bridge was 50 feet wide and altogether too narrow for the amount of traffic that passed over it and it was very dangerous for vehicles making their approach to the centre of the city owing to the abrupt turn when entering the "easterly approach to the bridge."

The finishing touches were put on the skeleton structure today and everything will be in readiness to lower the steel beams as soon as the water pipe is lowered.

The construction company instead of melting the joints of the water main as contracted for, sub-let the contract to the water department and this afternoon the joints were melted and the work of lowering the pieces of pipe started. The construction company contracted to lower the pipes in 35 hours and during that time the water

will be shut off from that particular main. The steel structure is resting on six jacks, two on either abutment and two on the centre pier, and will be lowered into place as soon as the pipe has been cemented sidewalk with granite finish and the erection of a railing will then be started and it is expected that before long the sidewalk will be ready for travel.

When the new sidewalk is placed in position the roadway will be almost ten feet wider than it is at the present time.

The Boston & Northern and Locks & Canals are working in conjunction in strengthening and improving the bridge. The railway company has placed four steel girders under their tracks and paved the centre of the bridge and later on the Locks & Canals will put in steel girders and improve the roadway.

## THE CHICAGO CUBS

## Won the Second Game in the World's Series

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—The second game for the championship of the world between the Detroit Tigers and the Chicago Cubs was played here yesterday afternoon before a big crowd and was won by Chicago, 6 to 1.

The score would indicate a one-sided contest, but such was not the case. Not a run was made on either side until the eighth inning. Then the Chicago team in a brilliant sport scored six of its seven hits, including a double, a triple and a home run.

Here was a remarkable reversal of form. "Wild Bill" Donovan had allowed only one scratch hit in seven innings, and this by Overall in the seventh.

The crowd was amazed at the remarkable performance of the veteran pitcher. Seven men had gone down on strikes, and it looked like a sure victory for the Tigers if they could but score one run.

Several, however, was there pitching a grand, good game and receiving the support of a great infield. He seemed to show improved form as the game went on, and the crowd was prepared for a close drawn-out game.

The climax came in the eighth. With one man out, Hofmann got to first on a scratch single, and on the first ball pitched, started for second on the hit and run play. Donovan was laying for just such a move, and shot a ball both high and wide for his catcher, but Tinker was forced to hit as his partner was off for second, and with a long reach he hit the ball close to the end of his bat and away it went to right field. Cobb started for it, slipped, regained his form, and finally got his back to the shortfield fence in right only to see the ball soar just out of reach and finally drop into the seats, being good for a home run.

The scene that followed was worth a trip from Boston to see. The crowd rose up and howled for several minutes. Two runs were in and the game as good as won. Hugh Jennings

not really appreciate the skill that was necessary to do the work. He played five yards back of the broken ground and made two remarkable running catches in one-hand plays to first, where it was impossible to play the ball with two hands and get his man.

The paid attendance at the game yesterday was 17,760 and at least enough more were present to bring up the total attendance to 19,000. The amount of money taken in was \$26,935, divided as follows: Players \$14,549.58, commission \$2692.72, clubs \$2693.70.

This is far below the figure the players looked for, but a very nice amount nevertheless.

Speculators were bumped quite hard, as they managed to get hold of a large number of choice seats and failed to get their price for them.

After today's game the teams will go to Detroit for games Tuesday and Wednesday. If the series should go that far, the players share in the receipts of the first four games only.

## DEATHS

SMITH—News has been received in this city of the death at San Bernardino, Cal., recently of Lowell E. Smith, who was formerly a resident of Lowell and employed by the C. B. Coburn Co. He leaves a wife and three children, a sister, Mrs. W. R. Kew of Lowell, and a sister, Mrs. P. R. Thoms of Fryeburg, Me., a brother, Connelman Lorenzo E. Smith of Lowell, and brothers and sisters in California.

FINNERTY—Mrs. Bridget Finnerty died yesterday at her home in Andover street in North Westbury. She formerly resided at Milford. N. H. She leaves a husband, Martin, three sisters, Mrs. John Lally and Miss Catherine Manion of Nashua, N. H., and Sister Maria Stanislaus of Notre Dame convent, Worcester, two daughters, Mrs. Michael Gorman of Lowell and Miss Mary Finnerty of North Westbury, and a son, John Finnerty.

SULLIVAN—Miss Katherine M. Sullivan died last night at her home, 52 Mt. Washington street. She was the daughter of Mrs. Mary and the late Patrick Sullivan. She leaves besides her mother, four brothers, Michael J., Daniel P., and Jeremiah O. all of this city, and James A. Sullivan of New Bedford, and three sisters, the Misses Nellie M. and Josephine T. Sullivan and Mrs. James E. Greeley of Boston.

WOOD—Miss Sarah Celeste Wood died Saturday evening at the residence of her nephew, Larkin T. Trull, 55 Fairmount street, with whom she had lived for the past seven years. She was 87 years old. She nearly 60 years she had been actively and suc-

## THE IRISH ENVOYS

## Speak in Associate Hall Next Sunday Evening

An important meeting of the United Irish league was held in Harrington hall last evening with a good attendance. President Roarke occupied the chair and a pleasing entertainment was enjoyed, including a duet by Mrs. Mary and Emily White and vocal solos by Miss Margaret White, Bernard Roarke and Peter Healey.

The delegates to the Boston convention reported upon the great success of that event in advancing the cause of home rule for Ireland. The various features of the convention were commented upon and the assurance of the leader of the Irish party that home rule would be an accomplished fact in the near future was received with applause. It was announced that the Irish envoys, Hon. Joseph Devlin, M. P., and Rev. Richard McGee, the Presbyterian minister and ex-member of parliament, would speak in Associate hall next Sunday evening under the auspices of the league.

It was voted to have the meeting for the reception of the envoys free to the public and to invite all friends of the cause. Special invitations were extended to all the local divisions of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, the Ladies' Auxiliaries, A. O. H., also to Branch O'Neill-Crowley, Irish National Foresters, and the Lady Wolfe Tones, I. N. L.

The committee on arrangements consists of President Roarke, Bartholomew Toolin, Peter Desmond, E. J. Gallagher, Michael Connolly, John Desmond, Thomas Reedy, Cornelius Desmond, John Roarke, Miss Delia Conway, Felix McCabe, Miss Julia

Reilly, Miss Edith Williams, Miss A. C. O'Connor. The committee will meet on Wednesday evening at the ante-room of A. O. H. hall, when a reception committee will be appointed to meet the delegates next Sunday and escort them to Associate hall.

Rev. John P. O'Brien, O. M. I., of the Sacred Heart church, was admitted a member of the league and made a brief address, complimenting the organization on the splendid work it was doing for Ireland and he urged the members to persevere as it would undoubtedly be but a short time until the Irish party would secure home rule. He said he had always taken a deep interest in the movement and was happy to know that its efforts were soon to be crowned with success.

Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I., was called upon and responded briefly expressing his satisfaction with the progress of the movement and giving specific instances of the great work accomplished by the United Irish league in restoring the land to the people and driving out the tyrannical landlords. He said the Land Act accomplished a great deal in this respect and the defects of the measure were soon to be remedied by a special act to be introduced in the parliament in the near future. He mentioned various other measures of great importance including the Irish universities, which he felt would be a great boon to the people.

Secretary Toolin read a list of the contributions already published and which were included in the check for \$125 given in at the Boston convention. The report was accepted and the secretary was instructed to convey to the contributors the thanks of the league.

cessfully engaged in business in Philadelphia, and upon retirement from it came east to spend her declining years among the scenes of her childhood. She had always taken a deep interest in the welfare of the Baptist church of Tewksbury, and a year ago gave it a beautiful organ in memory of her two children, Ellen and Miranda. Trull, Aunt Celeste, as she was familiarly called, will be missed by a large circle of relatives and friends.

LAWSON—Robert Lawson, an old and highly respected resident of Belvidere, died Sunday at his late home, 290 Concord street, at the age of 73 years. Deceased was a native of Hartford, Scotland, and is survived by two sons and six daughters and twenty-eight grandchildren. Funeral will take place from the residence Tuesday morning at 8:15 o'clock and mass of requiem will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Undertakers are under the direction of Undertaker Peter Davey.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

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## CITY PHYSICIAN

## Common Council Will Try It Tomorrow

Democrats remember that only three days remain for registration today and tomorrow from 1 to 3 and 7 to 9 and on Wednesday from noon until 10 o'clock.

See that your name is on the voting list by Wednesday at the latest for this is presidential year.

Street Excavations

The committee on ordinances and legislation will meet tomorrow evening before the meeting of the common council to act upon Ald. Gray's proposed ordinance relative to street excavations referred to recently in The Sun.

Common Council

The principal business before the lower branch tomorrow evening will be the election of a city physician, the \$10,000 sewer appropriation and the report of the committee on fire department recommending the establishment of new fire alarm boxes at Tenth street, between Christian and Mr. Pleasant streets, and at the corner of Fruit street and Boston road.

Typhoid Fever

Agent Bates of the health department makes the gratifying report that no new cases of typhoid have been reported since last Friday.

At City Dispensary

The city dispensary was the busiest place at city hall this morning and Dr. Halloran of the staff of district physicians was kept bustling throughout the morning while Dispensarian Mason was so busy that he didn't have time to explain how the Mt. Cross lost the game to the Y. M. C. A. Saturday. From the time that Dr. Halloran arrived until the closing hour there were at least 25 persons waiting for consultation with him.

Marriage Intentions

Among those who this morning declared their intention of adopting the Massachusetts idea were the following: John W. Fraser, 28, merchant, 22 Grace street to Ella M. Proctor, 24, at home, 51 Walker street.

Fred A. Barber, 37, No. Reading, advertising manager, to Mary J. Johnson, 23, at home 487 Andover street.

George A. Sprague, 29, Manchester, N. H. shoemaker, to Josephine Labrie, 33, mill operator, 29 Beaver street.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

No Back Down

Is to be looked for from us as to advertising premises or representations, we make from day to day regarding our COKE. Just now we are in the BACK UP BUSINESS. We are backing up our coke in all ways we know. We will back it up to your back door if you will permit us \$1.75 per ton. Our 1440 pounds of coke has been dried in up-to-date manner, without noise or furring of your sensibilities, without dirt. After backing up to your back door we will back it up to your front door. It will be unnecessary as OUR COKE, if given a fair chance, wins its own way. Notice as early as you can. Send your order to the street for 10 cents.

LOWELL GAS LIGHT CO.



# RALLY SUNDAY

## Observed in Several Local Protestant Churches Yesterday

Yesterday was rally day in the Protestant churches and there was a large Sunday school attendance. There were 74 in the First Baptist school and it was a big day at the First Baptist church. Rev. J. Wallace addressed the school and five persons were baptized at the evening service. An excellent program was given.

Mrs. W. H. Pease sang. There were remarks as follows: William Pease, "Why a boy should go to Sunday school," Norris Tibbitts, "Why a young man should go to Sunday school," D. J. Cowan, "Why a father should go to Sunday school," and Deacon William Pease, "Why a grandfather should go to Sunday school."

Highland hall, their temporary meeting place, was the scene, yesterday of the annual rally day services of the Branch Street Baptist Sunday school, and there were 220 present. There were selections by the quartet, words of greeting by Mr. A. F. Pease of the First Baptist Sunday school of Malden, and remarks by Rev. Charles A. Merrill.

A pleasing feature of the occasion was the presentation of certificates to those who had won the gold pin in Little's cross and crown system. This pin represented 15 months of perfect attendance

## TWO THOUSAND FANS

### Filled Merrimack Square During Ball Game

Two thousand enthusiastic base ball fans were present in Merrimack square Saturday afternoon to listen to the megaphoned returns and see the bulletined returns of the first game of the post season series between Chicago, winner of the national league pennant, and Detroit, winner of the American league pennant.

The crowd was so large that it was necessary for Sergt. Maudsley, Patrolmen Ryan and Bumps, assisted by several other officers, to keep constantly on the alert in order to keep the crossings cleared and prevent people from obstructing the car traffic.

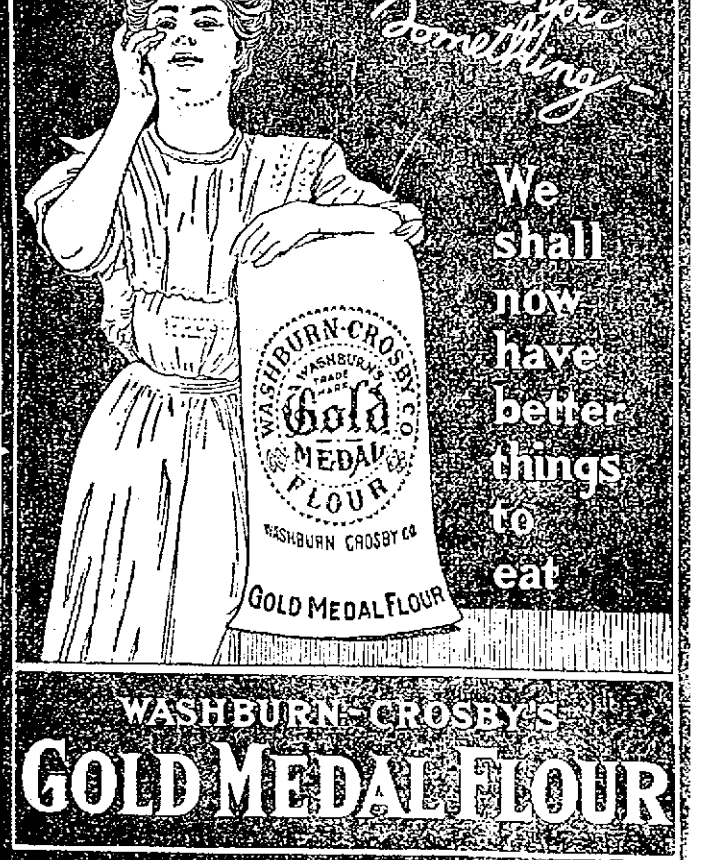
That the local admirers have taken a great deal of interest in the national game was very evident and considerable money changed hands on the hits, runs and the result of the game.

Chicago was the favorite, the betting being about 10 to 7, and while it was thought that Detroit had a fighting chance inasmuch as the game was played on the home grounds, when Chicago scored four runs in the third inning, there was a general slump in the Detroit stock and the people who had even taken the short end on Detroit were mourning the loss of their money.

The systematic arrangement provided by the Sun in giving the game in detail to the public was greatly appreciated by the fans and those who were not present in the Square kept the Sun's telephones busy during the afternoon inquiring for the score.

Of course the crowd in the Square

Let me tell you something. We shall now have better things to eat.



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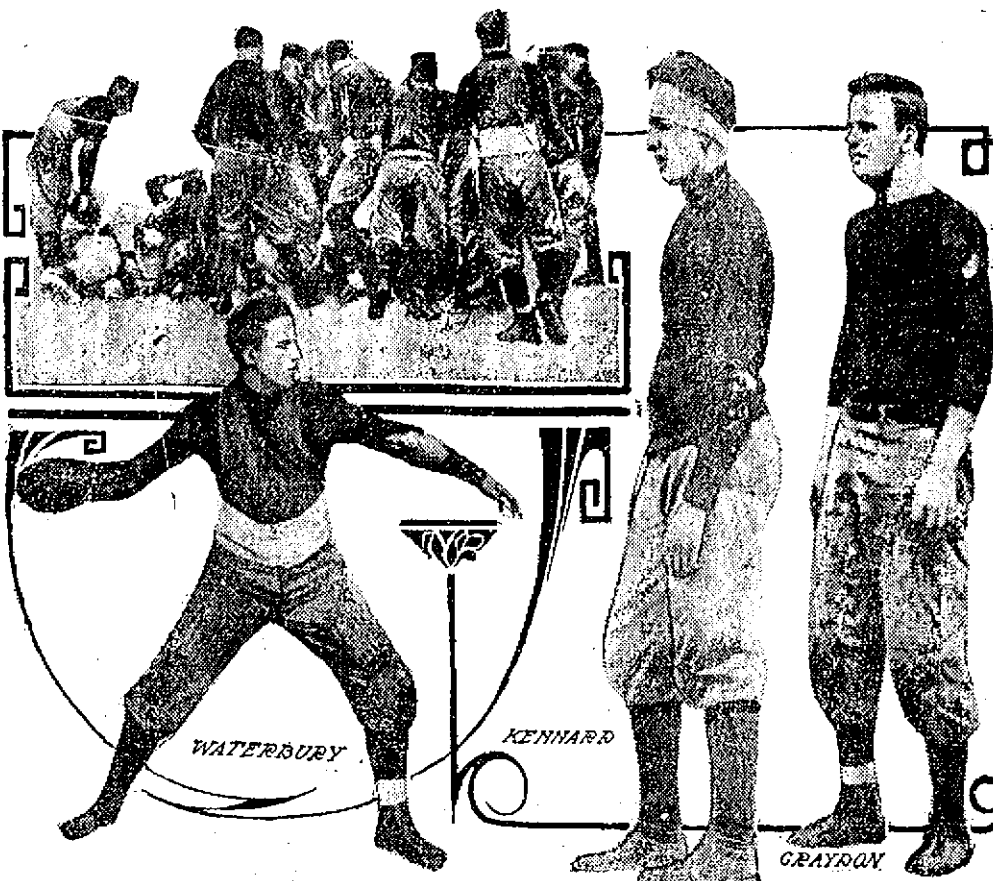
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## HARVARD VARSITY SQUAD AND THREE PLAYERS



CAMBRIDGE, Oct. 12.—Coach T. Houghton of Harvard put the varsity team to the hardest tests in preparation for the game with Williams, which was really the first contest

which forced the team to extend itself. The varsity squad was driven to its utmost in ten minute whirlwind scrimmages and usually sent the second team flying back toward its own goal posts. Vic Kenward, Graydon and Waterbury distinguished themselves by clever and speedy work. These pictures were taken during recent practice at Cambridge.

## BURGLARS ESCAPE

### They Blew Open Safe but Failed to Get Any Cash

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 12.—Safe crackers made a bold break in the Providence public market, a large-sized branch establishment at 35 and 37 South Main street, yesterday in broad daylight. The break occurred at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The front of the large safe, fronting the street, was blown off, but the crooks hurried away without getting any part of the \$2500 in cash which the market had taken in Saturday afternoon and evening.

While the face of the safe was shattered, the inner door of steel stood strong and the robbers were unable to get any part of the large amount of money which they apparently knew was in the vault. The explosion was heavy enough to blow out the front of the brick building and shatter most of the interior.

The tools were left behind, as was also a parcel of gunpowder. The safe

was divided as regards opinion and when a report favorable to Chicago was given out there was great cheering on the part of the admirers of that team, while on the other hand the admirers of the Detroit were not slow in expressing their feelings when the Tigers gained a point.

Today's game will be megaphoned and bulletined just as was Saturday's contest.

MEDFORD, Oct. 12.—Unknown persons with a feeling of hostility against Fred W. Hauskohl, of 42 Court street, this city, a member of the Ancient and Honorable artillery company, a former commodore of the South Boston yacht club and a well-known gold leaf manufacturer, daubed the front sides of his house some time Saturday night with liberal quantities of paint of a brilliant crimson hue, reaching the blinds on the front and west sides to a back yard an eighth of a mile distant, overturned the dozen large flower urns and tubs and wrecked the grounds about the house generally, giving the place the appearance of having been torn through a cyclone.

Recent divorce and remarriage are said to be the cause.

KIRK STREET DAY NURSERY

Kirk Street Day Nursery donations for August included the following: Bread twice a week from Friend Bros. bakery; half bushel crab apples from Mrs. Joseph Sargent, Draught; half bushel pears from Mr. Fred N. Wier, Eleventh street; frosted cake, pies and bread from Albert J. Evans, Bridge street; vegetables from the garden of Mrs. Fred More, Tewksbury.

The September list is as follows: Vegetables from Mrs. Fred Moore, Tewksbury; fruit from a friend in Woburn; magazines and papers from Mrs. J. L. Chaffin; cake and doughnuts from Dr. Dugdale, 57 Central street; two barrels cake and doughnuts from S. Charron restaurant, 544 Middlesex street; bread twice a week from Friend Bros. bakery; nasturtiums from Mrs. Peabody, Draught; samples mailed milk from Dr. Flunkett; load of vegetables, including potatoes, squashes, beets, cabbages, carrots and cauliflower, from North Bitterica Baptist church harvest concert, evening; peaches from Mrs. Corliss Smith, East Draught.

Sealed Proposals

For cleaning and painting the library rooms will be received by the trustees of the city library. Specifications may be had at the office of the city librarian. All proposals for the work are to be submitted in writing and left at the office of the city librarian on or before 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, Oct. 17th. The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

## THE SCHEDULE OF THE A. G. POLLARD CANDLE PIN LEAGUE

The following is a schedule of games to be played in the A. G. Pollard Candle Pin League:

Tuesday, Oct. 13—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.  
Wednesday, Oct. 14—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Tuesday, Oct. 20—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Oct. 21—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Oct. 27—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Oct. 28—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Nov. 3—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.  
Wednesday, Nov. 4—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Tuesday, Nov. 10—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Nov. 11—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Nov. 17—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Nov. 18—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Nov. 24—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.  
Wednesday, Nov. 25—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Tuesday, Dec. 1—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Dec. 2—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Dec. 8—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Dec. 9—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Dec. 15—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.  
Wednesday, Dec. 16—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Tuesday, Dec. 23—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Dec. 30—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Jan. 4—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Jan. 5—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Jan. 11—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.  
Wednesday, Jan. 12—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Tuesday, Jan. 18—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Jan. 19—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.

## BOYS' TENNIS

SOME GOOD MATCHES WERE PLAYED SATURDAY

The boys' tennis tournament, scratch doubles, held Saturday on the Hockmeyer courts resulted in some excellent matches. The attendance of spectators was very large and the various good plays made by the different players were well applauded.

The results of the rounds were as follows:

First round: Joe Meigs and Jack Robertson beat William Reilly and Crosby Wallace, 6-4, 6-2; Norman Hazer and Percy Parker, Jr. beat Truman Safford and Teddy Hobson, 6-3, 6-3; Hildred Meigs and Roger Eastman beat Ralph Coburn and Victor Hockmeyer, 6-4, 6-4; Fred Church and Olive Hockmeyer beat Roswell Whidden and Henry Sturges, 6-3, 6-3.

Second round: Meigs and Robertson beat Hazer and Parker, 6-3, 7-5; Church and Hockmeyer beat Meigs and Eastman, 6-3, 6-2.

Final round: Meigs and Robertson beat Church and Hockmeyer, 6-3, 6-2.

The winners take the two first cups and the losers the two second cups.

Consolation, first round: Safford and Hobson beat Reilly and Wallace, 6-4, 6-2; Coburn and V. Hockmeyer beat Whidden and Sturges, 7-5, 7-5.

Final round: Coburn and Hockmeyer beat Safford and Hobson, 6-2, 7-5.

BOXING GOSSIP

The bouts for the week are:

Tuesday—Frank Adams vs. Tommy Rayson, at Salem; Tom Sawyer vs. Edfield Walcott, at Portland, Me.; George Mennis vs. Johnny Thompson, at Racine, Wis.; Eddie Kennedy vs. Fred Broad, at Fairbury, Neb.; Otto vs. Unknown, at New York; Intercity bouts, Monday.

Wednesday—Brooklyn boxers, at Bedford, A. C.; Brooklyn: Mike Gannon vs. Johnny Murray, at West End, A. C.; Eddie Morse vs. Joe Farmer, at Manhattan, A. C.; New York.

Tuesday—Joe Costa vs. Kid Murphy, at New York; John Coulton vs. Eddie Doyle and Young McGovern at Philadelphia; Matty Baldwin vs. Kid Sullivan, at New York; Bill McKinnon vs. Harley Connolly, at Dover, N. H.

Wednesday—Wayne A. C. bouts, at Philadelphia; Joe Turner vs. Frank Lynch, at Washington, D. C.; Johnnie Cohen vs. Harry Scroggs, at Memphis, T. J.; Jack Robinson vs. Bill McKinnon, at Lymanville, R. I.

Thursday—Jimmy Gardner vs. Charley Selger, at New York; Young Mack vs. Danny Decker, at Baltimore; bouts at the Broadway, A. C. of Philadelphia.

Fred Ward vs. Lew Powell, Oakland, Cal.; Young Fred Corbett vs. Charles (Twins) Miller, at Philadelphia.

Friday—Bill McKinnon vs. Chicago Jack Robinson, at Lymanville, R. I.; Jim Stewart vs. Kid McCoy, at New York; Joe Walcott vs. Bill Hurley, at North Adams, Mass.; State and Ontario A. C. Philadelphia, all-star shows.

Saturday—Jim Donovan vs. Frank Klasse, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; bouts at the National A. C. of Philadelphia; Mickey Gannon vs. against best man that can be got.

POLO LEAGUE

SCHEDULE WAS ADOPTED AT YESTERDAY'S MEETING

WORCESTER, Oct. 12.—The National Roller Polo league met in the Bay State house yesterday and adopted a schedule for the first two weeks of the season which opens October 18.

The transfer of the Waterbury, Conn. team to Salem, Mass., was ratified. The schedule adopted follows:

October 19, Hartford at Bridgeport, New Britain at New Haven; Worcester at Providence, Pawtucket at Fall River.

October 20, Hartford at New Britain, Providence at Pawtucket, Salem at Brockton.

October 21, New Britain at Hartford, Fall River at Providence, Brockton at Salem, Pawtucket at Worcester.

October 22, New Haven at Bridgeport, Brockton at Fall River.

October 23, Bridgeport at New Haven, Providence at Salem, Worcester at Pawtucket.

October 24, Bridgeport at Hartford, New Haven at New Britain, Fall River at Worcester, Salem at Providence, Pawtucket at Brockton.

October 26, New Britain at Bridgeport, Hartford at New Haven, Salem at Fall River, Pawtucket at Providence.

October 27, New Haven at Hartford, Bridgeport at New Britain, Salem at Pawtucket, Providence at Brockton.

October 28, Brockton at Providence, Pawtucket at Worcester, Fall River at Salem.

October 29, New Haven at Bridgeport, Providence at Fall River.

October 30, New Britain at Hartford, Bridgeport at New Haven, Worcester at Salem, Fall River at Pawtucket.

October 31, Hartford at New Britain, Worcester at Brockton.

## Just For Today

Three new styles of Cambrie Drawers, tucked umbrella ruffle or with lace insertion, always 25c, today ..... 15c

Corset Covers of good nainsook, deep lace yokes run with ribbon, today for ..... 15c

Drawers of good cambrie, umbrella ruffle of good embroidery, usually 29c, just today ..... 18c

A small lot of Bengaline, Moreen and Embroidered Flounce Petticoats, styles we have sold for \$1.00, just for today ..... 50c

Waists of lace, taffeta or Jap silk, some of them were \$3.98, none were less than \$2.98, now reduced to ..... \$1.97

A few soiled gowns that sold for \$1.97, \$2.50 and \$2.97, if you ask for them ..... \$1.25 today

No more 98c gowns, chemise and embroidered trimmed skirts after today for ..... 50c

## THE WHITE STORE

114—Merrimack St.—116

## RODIN'S STATUE

Will be Brought to This City

The American replica celebrated Rodin statue of Whistler, will be placed in Lowell, the birthplace of the great artist. Secretary Harrison S. Morris of the American committee in charge of the statue, sent word to this city to that effect on Saturday.

Representatives of the Lowell Art association, visited New York during the week and conferred with Joseph Tuncall, a member of the international committee in charge of the statue. Half a dozen cities were bidding for the honor, but Lowell had the best claim, as the birthplace of Whistler, while the committee guaranteed the amount of money necessary to get the statue here.

This money was solicited here last week and many men desirous of helping the cause, pledged temporary gifts to swell the fund, while others donated permanent gifts.

As usual Frederick Fanning Ayer of New York contributed handsomely and permanently as may be seen from the following letter received by the local committee, to wit:

"I am more than pleased to know that you have secured the promises of citizens of Lowell of \$250, to erect a monument to Mr. Whistler. Lowell is justly proud that she has given birth to a great artist, and should do him honor. To secure a genuine work of art for Lowell adds double zest to the enterprise, in which, I doubt not, all Lowell will respond, to the end that the triumph of genius over opposing forces may not be forgotten, but be joyfully recorded for the emulation of them that come after."

"Allow me to add the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) to the total you are promised, with the understanding that this amount shall constitute by subscription to said monument outright, no part of which is to be repaid to me hereafter."

"Believe me always, Sincerely yours, 'FREDDIE F. AYER'

The permanent gifts to the fund including Mr. Ayer's generous offering, aggregate \$750, leaving about \$150 to be raised by popular subscription. All Lowell is invited to subscribe to the fund and any amount will be acceptable.

Subscriptions should be sent to Arthur T. Safford, 30 Talbot street, treasurer of the Lowell Art association.

The statue has been described as being a life-size bronze figure of fame surmounting a boulder, or stone, on the face of which stone appears a medallion portrait of Mr. Whistler, also in bronze."

## James S. Hastings' Great Assignee's Sale

Of High Grade House Furnishing Goods, consisting of CARPETS, RUGS, LINOLEUMS, MATTINGS, LACE and MUSLIN CURTAINS of every description. PORTIERES, COUCH COVERS, FURNITURE COVERINGS, UPHOLSTERY PIECE GOODS of all kinds. Hand-some Styles in WILLOW and RUSH FURNITURE, SCREENS, UTILITY BOXES, JAPANESE BEAD and BAMBOO PORTIERES and SASHES, with many other articles too numerous to mention.

MR. HASTINGS' stock of goods is so well and favorably known that comment is unnecessary. Everything must be sold for the benefit of his creditors, and low prices will accomplish this object. Do not miss this, the opportunity of a lifetime.

**SALE NOW ON**  
Per order STANLEY E. QUA, Assignee.

Take Elevator to Fourth Floor. Telephone 2508.



## MIDDLESEX CO. A. O. H.

## Held Biennial Convention in This City Yesterday

53 Divisions, Represented by 250 Delegates, Took Part in Proceedings—John F. Donnelly of Cambridge is Re-elected County President

The Middlesex county A. O. H. turned out in large numbers at the biennial convention held yesterday in A. O. H. hall, this city, about 250 delegates, representing 53 divisions, being present. The session was one of the most important and enthusiastic in the history of the county organization. President John F. Donnelly of Cambridge in his opening remarks spoke in part as follows:

## President Donnelly's Address

County President Donnelly spoke in part as follows:

Once again after two years we meet in county convention assembled. The past two years have been eventful ones inasmuch as many new ideas advanced at our last convention at East Cambridge, which were hitherto discussed in a theoretical sense, have been put into active practice. We have obeyed the declaration and desires of that convention as manifested in the legislation it achieved, and today we report on the fruits of our labors, and feel that we can be well satisfied with the results accomplished.

The progress of the order in this county both numerically and financially and otherwise has been highly satisfactory. We may not have realized our highest ideals but we have at least made splendid progress in the effort to do so. Our standing as a Catholic fraternal order has never higher. We enjoy the friendship, esteem, confidence and goodwill of the priests, bishops and other prelates of our church to an extent hitherto unknown in our history. They have manifested their interest and concern for our welfare giving us words of kindly encouragement and advice. The eloquent words of a benediction and praise uttered from hundreds of pulpits during the past two years is the best evidence of our standing in their confidence and esteem.

## Only Pastors as Chaplains

Our Most Reverend Archbishop O'Connell has made a ruling that in the future none but pastors will be appointed to the office of county chaplain, thus depriving this county of the services of our beloved Father Flynn, a fact I know each and every member of the convention will learn with regret.

He is a man of sterling qualities and a priest who was ever honest with his opinions and advice for the best interests of the organization and ready and willing at all times to go to any part of the county to help build up the order. I personally wish to extend to him my most sincere thanks for the kindly advice and able assistance he has given me many times during the past four years in my endeavor to bring the organization to the highest standard.

The reports of my colleagues on the county board, Brothers Conney and Gavin, show the financial standing of the order. Both have been thorough and painstaking in discharging the duties of their offices. To them and all other members of our county board, who have so kindly shared the burden of the labors and offered advice on many important matters, and to whom a debt of gratitude is due I wish to personally extend my kindest wishes and assure them that I shall ever be a member with great pleasure my associations with them as fellow members of the county board.

## Increase in Membership

In calling your attention to the work accomplished and the results obtained, I beg to return to the various division officers in the county, who have aided us in the task my hearty appreciation of their labors and sacrifices. The work undertaken has been varied in character, although including matters of great importance. Notwithstanding the great business depression of the last ten months which affected many of our divisions in different parts of the county I am pleased to report the largest increase in membership made by any county in the state if not in the country. At the last county convention held in East Cambridge there were in good standing 5504 members.

During the past two years we have met with many losses from death in our ranks. Many of our older members, who for years were the standard bearers of the order, building it up to its present prosperous condition, have passed away. Among them our own beloved state secretary, John P. Mahoney of this city, who was ever a sincere Hibernian and an ardent worker in our cause. His genial presence and familiar figure will be missed not alone in this, his native city, but in every other locality where the members of our order gather in convention.

I am very much pleased to state that "the strong Irish man" has been almost entirely driven from the American stage except for a few rare instances which show that the evil still exists in a few sections, but our crusade has met with practically complete success. I would recommend that the work undertaken be continued, and that our own division when holding entertainments, lectures or smoke talks take care that the programs for these affairs be in such shape as to reflect the highest ideals of our race. A few publishers of comic postal cards still continue to portray ridiculous and offensive caricatures of our people and I would recommend that our members withhold their patronage from stores having for sale these cards and advise their friends to do likewise. It affords me much gratification to be able to pay tribute to my humble way to that magnificent body of Irish women in this county who compose the Ladies' auxiliary. Their works in advocating Hibernianism in all parts of the county cannot be too highly commended and their work in the cause of Irish nationality cannot be too highly appreciated. Much good has resulted from their assistance and we have cause to congratulate ourselves

on the wisdom of the foundation of the auxiliary and should give this band of Irish women every assistance in our power.

It might be suggested that there are yet many wrongs to be righted and

many reforms to be inaugurated. We believe that at times, our members leave themselves open to criticism. Our musical events and division entertainments must always consist of that which is creditable to our people in the highest and most dignified sense of the word. I would recommend that only the beautiful music of our ancestors, the songs of our national poets, the eloquence of our orators and the noble and patriotic airs of America combined with the production of our most classic Irish composers appear on our programs.

At our last national convention at Indianapolis the policy of the organization was adopted and it becomes all good Hibernians to live up to that policy. Many changes were made in our constitution and it is to be hoped that these changes will further benefit the management of our order. Among the changes adopted was one relative to the representation at the national convention, proposed by your county president, wherein this county is now entitled to twice as many delegates as it has had heretofore.

A noble auxiliary of our order in this state is the Hibernian insurance, under the corporate title of "The A. O. H. Widows' and Orphans' Fund." While much has been said as regards the introduction of a general plan of insurance into the order throughout the country, owing to the fact that in states where such an organization exists the number of suspensions have been lessened, I find after careful investigation that the plan of insurance carried on by this order is far superior to that of other states. Its management being carefully guarded in accordance with the strict laws of the state, which are sufficient to insure the members protection.

The Widows' and Orphans' Fund

has paid out in the last nine years \$150,000. While meeting all obligations on issue of one assessment per month, the Fund is also providing a reserve fund, the same being done by the taking of a certain per cent. of all assessments for such purpose. I consider that a more just method of creating the same than that of any fraternal insurance in this state.

By a vote adopted at our last state convention in Lynn the Working Boys' Home has been placed in our charge as a charitable institution to which we should give our attention. In the future all our charity should be devoted to the institution in order that we may do as much for the Home as the division in the southern part of the state, which has succeeded in giving much help. It would be well also for each division in the state to feel it credit to support an institution of this kind deserving of every assistance that is in our power to give.

Upon you, brothers, who represent the various divisions throughout the county of Middlesex, will depend the future advancement of the A. O. H. Your intelligence, determination, loyalty and honesty of purpose will, I believe, enable you to carry out the grand work of uniting the scattered members of our race, and thus place the Ancient Order of Hibernians in the forefront of the fraternal organizations of the world. Its beneficent influence for the elevation of the scattered Irish who have suffered the persecution and the tyranny of centuries can only continue by virtue of the work which must be done by every member of the order in disseminating our principles broad cast among our people and getting them to affiliate themselves with the A. O. H.

The membership committee reported a membership of 7000 with property valued at \$110,000.

Much of the prosperity of the organization has been due to the untiring efforts of County President Donnelly who has held the office for four years and who was re-elected by acclamation. James O'Sullivan of this city was placed in nomination but Mr. O'Sullivan declined the honor and eloquently supported Mr. Donnelly.

One matter deeply regretted by the convention was the retirement of County Chaplain Rev. John P. Flynn, O. M. L. and it was voted that the incoming county board draw up a set of resolutions expressing the gratitude of the body for the excellent services of the retiring chaplain and its regret that he could not continue longer in the office. Fr. Flynn made an eloquent address as did Rev. Philip O'Donnell of Boston; John J. Rogers of Worcester and State Vice President John Dillon.

The other officers elected were County Vice-President P. J. Mahoney of Malden, Recording Secretary John M. Craig of Natick, Financial Secretary Joseph R. Conney of Watertown, Treasurer Thomas J. Green of West Newton. All officers elected were inaugurated by State Vice President John Dillon.

Resolutions were adopted embodying many valuable recommendations of the county president, and endorsed the policy of the national convention, held recently. Resolutions were also adopted of the kind of the Recording Secretary John P. Mahoney of Lowell.

During intermission refreshments were served to the delegates and a vote of thanks was given to the Lowell branch for the hospitality extended to the visitors.

Division 8 will hold a regular meeting this evening and Division 11 will meet tomorrow evening.

## LADIES OF CHARITY

## HELD AN IMPORTANT MEETING YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

At St. John's hospital, yesterday afternoon, there was a very important meeting of that institution. It was the initial meeting of the year, the principal business being the election of officers for the ensuing year with the following result:

Mrs. Wm. P. Lawler, president; Mrs. P. Gilbride, first vice-president; Mrs. F. P. Conant, second vice-president; Rev. Sister Raphael, treasurer; Rev. Sister Alphonsus, corresponding secretary; M. Alice Cox, recording secretary.

The board of directors chosen by the officers was as follows: Mrs. Wm. P. Barry, chairman; Mrs. E. D. Kerwin, Mrs. Charles Keyes, Miss Grace C. Delaney, Mrs. P. F. Devine, Mrs. Hugh Downey, Miss Susan Flynn, Mrs. P. F. Sullivan, Mrs. Mary Dunham, Mrs. Hugh McOsker, Mrs. P. W. Reilly, Miss Louise Beach, Mrs. A. D. Ware, Miss Alice T. Clark, Mrs. A. E. Chase, Mrs. Elizabeth Lang.

The other business transacted was the payment of fees, many generously taking advantage of the opportunity. The invitation from the board of charities to the society to appoint a committee to attend a meeting to be held October 15, to formulate plans to extend the works of charity throughout the city, was read and unanimously accepted by the society. A committee was accordingly appointed to attend the same. The resignation of Miss Rose Dowd, the past president, and Miss Mary Seery, the past corresponding secretary, were read and accepted and a committee appointed to extend to them a vote of thanks for their efforts. The meeting then adjourned.

## MAN KILLED

## HE WAS MISTAKEN FOR A MOOSE

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 12.—John Richardson, aged 50, yesterday shot dead by John Chivers, a hunter at Sable River. Richardson had gone into the underbrush to gather fire wood and was returning with a log on his shoulders when Chivers, who was moose hunting, mistaking him for one of the beasts, fired. The first shot hit him in the leg which Chivers supposed was the horns and finding they took no effect, he aimed lower. The third shot took effect and Richardson was dying when Chivers half crazed with grief, reached him.

## FOR NEW CHURCH

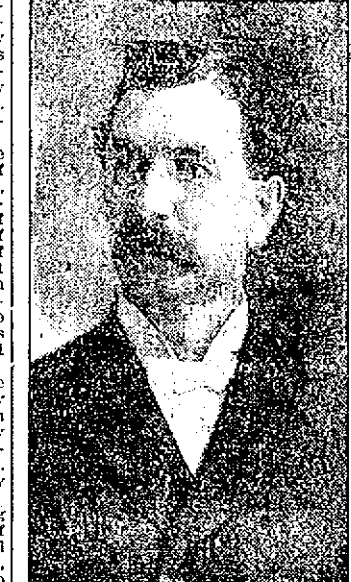
## Cornerstone Laid For Primitive Methodist Edifice

The cornerstone of the new Lawrence street Primitive Methodist church was laid Saturday with appropriate ceremony, Rev. N. W. Matthews, pastor of the Gorham street church, officiating with the trowel.

The new church is located in Wigganville where many of its members reside and the foundation work is practically completed while the time will be lost on the superstructure.

The service of laying the cornerstone was opened at 3 o'clock p. m. by Rev. N. W. Matthews. The pastor, Rev. John P. Flynn, spoke words of greeting. Rev. J. M. Craig, of the First Presbyterian church, invoked the blessing, and the hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name," was sung by the choir and congregation.

A responsive reading, Psalm 122, was led by Rev. C. H. Kershaw.



REV. N. W. MATTHEWS,  
Of First P. M. Church.

of Methuen.—Rev. A. R. Toothacre of the Paige Street Free Baptist church offered prayer, and scripture lessons were read, from the Old Testament, by Rev. Benedict Nilsson of the Swedish M. E. church, and from the New Testament, by Rev. Charles R. Merrill.

The address was by Rev. A. Humphries of Methuen by the choir. Mr. Robert Cutlerwood, the clerk of the society, read the list of documents to be placed in the cavity under the stone. These were: A Bible, a hymn book, a Primitive Methodist Journal, the conference minutes, the church discipline, the daily papers, the list of members of church, Sunday school, La-

ties' Aid and Christian Endeavor societies, the trustees and building committee, the names of the architect, and members of the workmen employed on the foundation. Also the program of the service, and a photograph of the old church edifice on Moore street.

The president of the board of trustees, Thomas E. Wilde, presented to Rev. N. W. Matthews the trowel to be used in laying the stone.

In response, Mr. Matthews said it gave him peculiar pleasure, because of the fact of his identification with the Primitive Methodist movement in Lowell. The first day of January, will complete the 35th year since he first began the city and began work in the old Gorham street church.

Mr. Matthews prepared the mortar for the reception of the stone, and the polished cornerstone, bearing the date, "A. D. 1908," was placed in position by the workmen.

Rev. C. H. Kershaw offered prayer, and after the singing of the hymn "How Firm a Foundation," the gathering was dismissed with the benediction.

## NEW OFFICERS

## INSTALLED BY THE FRENCH

## AMERICAN FORESTERS

Court Blanche de Castille, French American Foresters, has elected and installed the following officers for the ensuing term: Chief forester, Miss Agnes LeVasseur; sub-chief ranger, Miss Eva LeBlanc; treasurer, Miss Ida Fortin; financial secretary, Miss Anna Champagne; recording secretary, Miss Anna Mailoux; first guard, Miss Louise Tellier; second guard, Miss Angelina McKinnon; first sentinel, Miss Rose Coulombe; second sentinel, Miss Louise Laurendeau; first trustee, Miss Diana Drouin; second trustee, Miss Victoria Lebel; third trustee, Miss Clelia Ouellette; dean, Miss Valentine Cognac.

## LOCAL POLICE

## WARNED THAT BURGLARS ARE WORKING IN THE HIGHLANDS.

The local police are on the lookout for burglars who have been operating in the Highlands since the past week. In each case the burglars have been after money, for in nearly every case valuables have been left behind. The following were the houses entered:

William G. Gardner, 475 Winter street; Mrs. Susan M. Andrews, 318 Stevens street; Frank H. Putnam, 12 Marlborough street; and Mrs. Lucy Brennan, 71 Robbins street.

## PONY AUTO RACES

The third of a series of pony automobile races held on the Eleventh street speedway in Centralville was pulled off Saturday afternoon and Arthur Isherwood was the winner of the first prize, which was \$1. Junior Ellingwood was the second driver to cross the tape and Gerald Baron third.

## BROKE HIS LEG

In the game between the Y. M. C. I. and Chelsea A. A. Craig, the captain of the Lowell team received a broken leg. He was going through the centre for gains when the players of the visiting team piled on him with the result as above stated.

## HIGH STREET CHURCH

Sermon by Rev. A. C. Ferrin, Pastor

At the High Street Congregational church Sunday morning, the pastor, Rev. A. C. Ferrin, applied the story of Zacharias to modern business and political conditions.

He said that the extortionate methods were used by Zacharias and spoke of the prejudice excited against tax-gatherers by the methods generally in vogue. It was the story of the tax-gatherer of Biblical times brought up to date. The preacher said, in part: "It is just so in politics. Clean, irreproachable men shrink from entering political life because of the odium attached to the career. Even a clean politician finds it difficult to get his due, and for this reason, no doubt, weak men have said 'it is no use trying, I might as well get all I can out of it. I will get the name and I might as well have the game, too.' This is unfortunate. But the remedy is not in demanding that the public must not be so watchful. That would mean the stultification of the public conscience and we have had enough of that. The remedy lies in demanding insistently and persistently honest men in politics, and then in supporting them with our votes and influence when we have gotten them.

"Nothing has done more in this age and country to dull the human conscience; nothing is more responsible for the conflict between labor and capital—the haughtiness of capital and exactions of labor; few things are more responsible for the indifference to the authority of religion, than the attitude among business men that they can divorce business from all questions of moral obligation beyond legal justice. It is an impossible attitude."

## Remove Poison Germs of Catarrh and Rheumatism From the Blood

The Catarrh of the head use a teaspoonful of salt and a quarter teaspoonful of borax dissolved in a pint of warm water. Snuff this mixture through the nostrils twice daily and immediate relief is experienced. To cure a constitutional blood remedy must be used. Catarrh and rheumatism are both due to accumulated poisons in the system. These poisons ought to be eliminated—through the skin, the bowels and the urinary tract. The following simple home mixture warrants the utmost faith as it effectively acts on the kidneys, the bowels and the skin, causing them to resume their functions quickly and properly.

You can mix it at home or have any honest druggist do so. One-half ounce of fluid extract Buchu, one ounce compound fluid Bathwort, and two ounces syrup Sarsaparilla compound. Mix and take a teaspoonful after each meal and one at retiring. Many cases of catarrh, rheumatism, and kidney trouble have already benefited by this treatment and this is the season when nearly every one needs it.

**The Bon Marche**  
DRY GOODS

**Monday Evening Sale**  
From 6 to 9.30 O'clock Only

WASH BELTS	50c
Variety of patterns with pearl and gilt buckles. Regular price 10c	Monday Evening Price, 5c
LINEN NAPKINS (Linen Dept.)	4c
Pure linen, all hemmed, size 12x12, silver bleach. Regular price 69c doz.	Monday Evening Price, 4c Each
BLACK MERCERIZED LININGS	18c Yard
Good quality, full 36-inch width. Regular price 25c yard.	Monday Evening Price, 18c Yard
FANCY DOTTED VELVETS	25c Yard
Handsome colors, suitable for costumes, etc. Regular price 75c yard	Monday Evening Price, 25c Yard
WOMEN'S SOLES	19c Pair
Best lambs' wool soles, Peerless pattern, with no stitching on bottom. Regular price 25c.	Monday Evening Price, 19c Pair
INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S SWEATERS (2d Floor)	49c
All wool, in gray, red, blue and white, sizes 20, 22, 24. Regular price 75c.	Monday Evening Price, 49c
BLACK SATEN PETTICOATS (2d Floor)	54c
Good full skirts with very deep flounce. Regular price 79c	Monday Evening Price, 54c
CHILDREN'S HOSE	15c Pair
Black with linen heel and linen double knee. All sizes. Regular price 19c.	Monday Evening Price, 15c Pair
MEN'S SHIRTS	29c
Negligee Shirts, in madras and percales, assorted patterns, slightly soiled. Regular price 48c.	Monday Evening Price 29c
SPOOL SILK	3 Spools for 10c
50-yard and 60-yard spools, in all colors. Regular price 5c.	Monday Evening Price, 3 Spools for 10c
HAIR NETS (Toilet Dept.)	10c
All-over Hair Nets in all colors, large size. Regular price 10c	Monday Evening Price, 10c
WHITE ENAMEL WATER PAILS.	25c
Finest Imported Seamless White Enamel Water Pails, full size, perfect pails. Regular price 50c. (Only one to a customer.)	Monday Evening Price, 25c
SASH CURTAINS (Basement)	14c Pair
Lappet Muslin in good design, full size, first quality. Regular price 10c pair.	Monday Evening Price, 14c Pair
PILLOW CORDS (Art Dept.)	19c
Silk Cords in variety of colors. Regular price 30c each.	Monday Evening Price, 19c Each

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## GOVERNORS CONFER

## Preservation of New England's Resources Was Discussed

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—An official statement regarding the conference of New England governors held Saturday afternoon at the Algonquin club, was given out last night by Frank L. Dean, the secretary of the conference, with the authorization of the governors of Massachusetts, Connecticut, Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine, and the governor-elect of Maine. The statement in part follows:

"For the first time in the history of New England as far as known, the governors of every New England state met in conference at the Algonquin club on Saturday afternoon at the invitation of Governor Guild, and definitely decided upon the program for the coming conference on the promotion of New England's interests and the preservation of New England's resources. There is a peculiar bond which unites the New England states but even in community of aspiration but even in material interests. Though the experiment was somewhat sensational, the conference of governors brought out a most remarkable harmony of feeling and in every case the details of the program adopted met with unanimous approval. It was generally agreed that there were great possibilities of advantage to the entire section.

"The representation of the various states was confirmed, as follows:

"That the governors should themselves participate in it and should invite as members the lieutenant-governors, the attorney general, the president of New England senates, and speakers of New England houses of representatives, together with the members of congress and senators from New England. To those official members of the conference it was decided that the governors of the different states should add prominent citizens, representing the various walks of life to the number of two for each representative in congress and two for each senator from New England states.

"It was decided that if anything was to be accomplished, the subjects of discussion must of necessity be rigidly

restricted. The three topics of discussion for this, the first conference of its kind, will be the protection of shell fish and the construction and maintenance of state highways, together with the regulation and taxation of automobiles.

"Tree planting will occupy the attention of the conference on the first day, the protection of lobsters, clams and other shell fish on the second day, and the construction and maintenance of highways, with the possibility of uniform regulation and taxation of automobiles, on the third day. In each case expert specialists are to be invited by the governors to address the meeting. It is expected that a discussion which will be restricted to the accredited delegates will follow.

"In regard to tree planting, the experts invited will not merely discuss the planting of forest trees and the extension of forest tracts, but also attention will be given to the planting of fruit trees and the extension and improvement of New England orchards.

"It was discovered that the widest discrepancy exists in the state laws of New England in regard to shell fish, particularly lobsters. The difference of law in the various states will be made clear and experts of international reputation will be asked to establish, if possible, a uniform policy for the retention and extension of this important source of food supply.

"On the third day attention will be given not merely to the regulation of construction and materials of road building, but particularly to the establishment of interstate trunk lines of thoroughfares, running logical and carefully prepared routes from one great center of New England to another and to the confines of this section.

"The widest difference of state laws in regard to automobiles and even in regard to the principles of their regulation, will be pointed out. It is hoped, among other things, that a uniform method of automobile regulation, if not of taxation, may be adopted for all New England.

All of these meetings will be thrown open to the public.

## FOUND IN RUINS

## The Bones of Five Bodies Recovered

RICHFORD, Vt., Oct. 12.—The bones of five bodies were unearthed yesterday by the workmen who are overhauling the ruins of the elevator. None of these can be identified, but other bones which were found on the Canadian Pacific railroad tracks are supposed to be those of Mrs. Jelliffe, one of the victims who was walking there at the time of the explosion.

The railroad company had a gang of nearly 50 men at work upon the ruins yesterday, and a stream of water was pouring steadily upon the flames all day. It made little impression upon the fire, which gradually burned itself out. A rain Saturday night checked the fire materially and made the possibility of the flames spreading more remote.

Solemn and impressive services were held in the Protestant churches yesterday in memory of the missing Protestant dead, and in the Catholic churches for those of that church.

## POITS DEAD

## HE WAS INJURED DURING A FOOT-BALL GAME

CANNONSURG, Pa., Oct. 12.—William M. Potts, the football player who was injured in a game here on October 3, died yesterday, after having been unconscious since last Monday. He was seized with convulsions for the second time Saturday and an operation brought no relief.

Potts, who was 21 years old, played on the Scholastic team. During a game with the High School eleven he was kicked on the head.

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## SELECTMEN CALLED TO COURT

## Selectmen Charged With Receiving More Than Salaries

METHUEN, Oct. 12.—Considerable of a sensation was created Saturday afternoon when Sheriff Abbott of Lawrence served summonses on Selectmen M. F. Emerson, Henry N. Hall and Samuel Rushton and Town Treas. J. S. Howe to appear in court at Salem today. Treas. Howe stated that Col. Sweeney, counsel for the defendants, had arranged for their appearance Wednesday instead of today.

The selectmen and town treasurer have been summoned into court as a result of a bill filed by a number of citizens, including John Welch, C. H. Clifton, A. Clark, L. P. Smith, S. K. Nowell, Arthur J. Crosby, and A. E. Beale, for an injunction to prevent the selectmen from drawing any more salaries and to prevent Town Treas. Howe from paying them any more money. The bill also asks that Mr. Howe may back to the town all over \$400 that he has paid to each of the selectmen.

At a town meeting last March it was voted to employ a clerk to the selectmen at \$800 a year. It was also voted that the selectmen be paid \$400 each for the performance of the duties of selectmen and assessors. It is now claimed that the selectmen have drawn orders for their salaries, in excess of this amount and that they have been paid by the town treasurer.

There is a law that assessors shall be paid \$3.50 for a day's work and it is said that the selectmen were informed after the vote of the town last spring that if they desired they could draw the \$400 for their services as selectmen and collect \$3.50 a day for the time they worked at assessing.

Town Treasurer Howe yesterday said that the by-law providing that he should not pay out any money in excess of the appropriations was a hard one to contend with. The selectmen draw all orders and keep the town books, he said, so that he has no means of knowing whether or not the appropriations are being exceeded. The orders for their salaries had come as usual to him and he had paid them. Mr. Howe, as well as the selectmen, is considerably wrought up over the matter. The action to reduce the salaries of the selectmen was taken after they were duly elected last spring, and at the time many citizens claimed it was an unfair proceeding. Others, however, claimed that if the selectmen did not want to submit to it they had the opportunity to resign. The attempt to secure an injunction will probably result in a general controversy over town affairs, as many of the townspeople approve of the action of the plaintiffs, and many others are in sympathy with the selectmen.

## GREAT STRUGGLE BAD FIRE SCARE

## Men Fought 535 Feet Blaze in the White House Stable

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Atop the great iron tower at the Brooklyn end of the Williamsburg bridge a thrilling struggle occurred yesterday while hundreds of persons looked on from below. An insane man who had climbed the tower watchman, climbed an iron stairway to the tower, 535 feet above the East river, and was preparing to leap into the river when two policemen climbed up after him. The man turned upon the policemen with a razor and then on the narrow footing at the dizzy height a ten-minute fight took place which held all who witnessed it speechless with horror. The trio were swaying on the verge of destruction, and now back on the center of the small platform before the man was overpowered. Then he was handcuffed to a policeman and taken, still struggling, down the tower ladders.

At the eastern district hospital the prisoner gave his name as Joseph Kratz of Brooklyn. He was placed in a padded cell.

## A PROTEST

## SENT TO OFFICIALS OF N. Y. N. H. &amp; H.

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Between 400 and 500 conductors and trainmen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad held an indignation meeting yesterday afternoon at a protest to be forwarded to the officials of the road against conductors being compelled to work on both passenger and freight trains. It was claimed the organization's agreement with the road provided for separation of passenger and freight conductors and that the mixing of the two was dangerous and compelled longer hours and less compensation.

## \$20,000 LOSS

## BIG BOBBIN MILL WAS DESTROYED BY FIRE

LISBON, N. H., Oct. 12.—The James S. Moore Bobbin and Peg mill, with a large quantity of manufactured stock, was practically destroyed by fire yesterday, causing a loss of \$20,000. The plant was insured for \$60,000. Thirty hands were thrown out of work.

## THE AWARDS

## For Exhibits at the Tuberculosis Congress

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Awards to successful competitors participating in the great exhibition which formed a part of the recent international congress of tuberculosis, were announced yesterday by Dr. John S. Fulton, secretary-general of the congress, and Dr. Henry Boyer, chairman of the committee on exhibition. In a report to Dr. Lawrence F. Flick, chairman of the committee on the congress, the board of judges consisted of Dr. Elmer E. Brown, United States commissioner of education at President, Dr. Frank T. Fulton, of Providence, R. I., as secretary, and twelve committee members. The Brompton hospital, London, won the \$1000 prize for the best exhibit of a hospital for the treatment of advanced pulmonary tuberculosis. The Massachusetts state hospital, Tewksbury, Mass., New York won the gold medal for the best exhibit sent in by the states. The Tuberculosis Congress was organized for the restriction of tuberculosis.

Special gold medal awards for various kinds of work in the campaign against tuberculosis were made, including one to the Massachusetts state committee of the congress.

## THE FRAMA CLUB

The Frama club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Secretary Mahan in Manchester street. Considerable business of importance was transacted and it was voted to hold the next meeting at the home of Frank Doherty in Penn avenue.

After the meeting the members enjoyed a dainty luncheon. Miss Margaret Mahan presided. After luncheon the following program was carried out: Piano solo, Frank Rogers and J. Mahan; song, "King of the Winds," Frama club quartet, consisting of Messrs. Winn, Doherty, Mahan and LaJennesse. Acting President Doherty spoke ably on "The Club of Clubs."

## BOY FOUND DEAD

## Lowell Lad Died in a Barn

FALL RIVER, Oct. 12.—A bank book on a Lowell institution which bore the name of Royal R. Phelps was found on the body of a 17-year-old boy found dead in the barn of Medical Examiner Thomas F. Gunning yesterday.

The young hostler came here three weeks ago, and upon entering the physician's employ gave the name of Edward Sands. When he retired Saturday night he was apparently in good health. Death was due to an attack of heart disease.

## IN MEMORIAM

## APPRECIATIVE MEMORIAL OF FANNIE MARIA CLARK 1850-1908.

Shortly after daybreak on Monday, Oct. 5, 1908, as the rising sun was slowly dispelling the thick mists which lay like a pall over the land, the spirit of a noble woman, freed from its earthly dwelling place, passed into that realm beyond, which though invisible is none the less real. Long years of association with Miss Clark led me to respect and appreciate her, and to realize the strong influence of an unassuming, devoted life. I feel that that life should be more widely known; that its simplicity, its purity, and its wholeness should be recognized; and that the memory of a devoted teacher should ever be held in loving remembrance.

Born of a sturdy New England ancestry, reared in a Christian home where the daily reading of the Bible and family prayer were but the outward symbols of a deep spirituality, trained to service in the church, educated in the common schools, Miss Clark grew to womanhood and entered upon her life work with earnestness, enthusiasm, and faith. How well for thirty-four years she performed that work in this city, with what thoroughness and determination she pursued her allotted tasks, with what patience and persistence she labored at her desk long after the school day was over, but little known except to those with whom she was intimately associated. Stern and uncompromising in all her dealings, she scorned neither to the right nor to the left in the performance of her duty. Yet underneath this strict observance of the law lay a heart as tender as a mother's love, and a spirit as gentle and forgiving as that of a loving child. Characteristic of her judgment, temperate in her speech, she stored no malice in her heart.

Miss Clark was always cheerful and happy, ever looking on the bright side of things, and never complaining of the hardships of her work, though, as I know, her burdens were often many. An hour before her death she bade her sister a cheerful "Good morning," as she entered the sick chamber, and I know that had her friends been privileged to say to Miss Clark their last farewell, she would have said: "Say not good night," but in some brighter clime.

"Did me Good morning." Many of Miss Clark's former pupils, now men and women grown, have told me of the debt they owed to her for her thorough and rigorous instruction, and have brought their children to school with the request that they be assigned to her room. Mindful of her straightforwardness, earnestness, conscientiousness and cheerfulness, I would write as her epitaph:

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## MANY INJURED

## Riot Followed Attack on Strike Breaker

## \$20,000 LOSS

## BIG BOBBIN MILL WAS DESTROYED BY FIRE

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—A number of persons were injured and windows at the Hotel Knickerbocker on Broadway were broken last night in a riot which followed an attack made on Albert Lind, a strike-breaking chauffeur, employed by the New York Taxi-cab company. A crowd of 500 persons, sympathizers with the strikers and chauffeurs, hurled stones, sticks and missiles at the chauffeur, who took refuge in the doorway of the hotel. The taxi-cab was wrecked and three windows of the main dining room of the hotel were shattered. The guests of the Knickerbocker fled from the room in panic.

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## BRAVE WOMAN

## WAS SAVED BY THE LIFE CREW

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Waterlogged, her rails just appearing above the water and threatening every minute to capsize, the schooner Mary Brewer, from Bangor, was towed into port yesterday afternoon.

Taking her turn at the wheel and helping the men at the pumps to keep the little craft afloat all Saturday night, Mrs. Edna Callahan, wife of the captain, did yeoman service.

Much against her will she was taken off the sinking craft with her four-year-old son, Robert, by the life saving crew at Nahant, when the vessel was off Swampscott yesterday morning.

## COUPLE GONE

## IT IS BELIEVED THAT THEY HAVE ELOPED

WORCESTER, Oct. 12.—Upon complaint of Frank E. Wilson of Howarth's Village, "Oxford," and Mrs. Charles H. Stanley of Oxford, Officers Fortin and Bedard of Oxford came to Worcester and were successful in tracing Charles H. Stanley and Mrs. Frank E. Wilson, who are believed to have eloped in an automobile Saturday.

Word was telephoned to the Worcester police, but they failed to head off the couple.

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## SHOT IN FACE

## HUNTER THOUGHT THAT BOY WAS A SQUIRREL

LEWISTON, Me., Oct. 12.—As a result of being mistaken for a squirrel, Thomas McBride, aged 15 years, is lying in a critical condition at the Central Maine hospital in this city, where the physicians said last night they feared he would lose the sight of both eyes. McBride, with Adjutor Rogers, aged 17 years, was squirrel hunting Saturday near the South River road, when he climbed a tree to lighten a squirrel. When the branches moved Rogers mistook McBride's foot for the squirrel and fired, the charge of shot striking McBride in the face and upper part of the body.

## GRANITEVILLE

The Graniteville Methodist church, after having been closed for several weeks in order that necessary repairs might be made, was reopened yesterday with interesting services throughout the day, the services being conducted by the pastor and former pastors of the church.

The opening service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. S. H. Armand, assisted by Rev. H. A. Evans, who was the first pastor of the church. Rev. Mr. Evans assisted at the communion service. The sermon was preached by Rev. Dr. C. F. Rice, district superintendent, who spoke from Acts 25:19 "Whereupon O King Agrippa, I was not disobedient to the heavenly vision."

The love feast service held from six to seven o'clock was conducted by Rev. Alfred Woods, a former pastor in Graniteville, but now of Newburyport, Mass.

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**TRAMPS AND THEIR EVOLUTION.**

The Sun has been looking into the matter of boy tramps and has obtained some valuable information from that popular publication, *Charities*, published in New York.

The question of tramps is one of more importance than is generally supposed and volumes might be written upon the evolution of the genus hobo. To go to the bottom of the question would involve a discussion of political economy, of criminology, of industrial training, factory life, trusts, tariff, intemperance, the opposition now directed at the apprentice system and many other subjects directly or indirectly affecting the ability of a boy to learn a trade by which he can make a comfortable living. To lessen the number of tramps we must remove the causes that lead men to take to the road. We must especially endeavor to prevent boys taking to the road.

Most people, we surmise, would be amazed were it possible to learn how many boy tramps there are upon the "road." Though there are no figures, some very significant facts have recently been brought out by Arthur P. Towne, Albany, New York, who reported to the state conference of charities and correction that the majority of arrests on the New York Central, between New York and Albany, during the summer of 1907, were of boys between seven and twenty years of age. Set this statement, which is paralleled on other roads, side by side with the phrase, "Once a tramp always a tramp," and many things can be prophesied.

We have recently had a striking case of juvenile vagrancy before the local police court and these cases are not uncommon. This habit of jumping trains, leaving work or home, is getting to be a very serious matter. Our vagrancy laws are often lax or indefinite, and not always enforced. Young tramps report that while on some roads the railroad police are active, on others, trunk lines especially, transportation even for long distances is easy. Short or suspended sentences have little terror for the boy tramp, and to have been in jail is often deemed a mark of honor, a sign that the boy tramp is progressing. If the boy had a trade he would never take to the road for any prolonged period.

Superintendent Franklin H. Briggs of the New York Industrial school says that easy access to railroad yards and freight cars is the most largely contributing cause of juvenile delinquency he knows. William R. George of the George Junior Republic says that train-jumping is one of the greatest causes of crime. "There are few tramps who have not started out on their careers by stealing rides when they were boys." And other specialists confirm these statements. There is obviously a clear duty here. In every way the boy should be prevented from hitting the "road." The reduction of vagrancy may be brought about in at least two ways. We may endeavor to cause a stricter enforcement of our laws. We may build farm colonies, we may apply the best principles of modern charity to the cure of the individual vagrant temperament. But far better will it be to prevent the boy from becoming a tramp in the first place.

Therefore, our courts should take particular cognizance of the grievous danger in which boys are, who are arraigned for the often trivial appearing offense of train riding or going stealing. We must not be too lenient with these boys, on the easy-going assumption that they have been merely committing a prank. A perusal of Josiah Flint, or of Jack London's picturesque stories, or the statistics of reformatories and reform schools, will shed valuable light on this subject.

The probation system is most excellent in its working out with boys who have their homes in the cities where they are arraigned in court. To put a boy for some months under the supervision of a sympathetic officer, more a friend than a representative of the law, brings generally lasting good results. But for the homeless boy, the boy tramp, whose residence is unknown and who has already been inoculated with the "lure of the road," the reform school is a remedy that, while perhaps bitter at the outset, may save the individual and society later on.

One great shield for all boys against developing the tramp idea is to learn to use their hands in conjunction with their brain in producing something useful. In other words, technical training is the great preventive of tramp evolution. It will prevent it in the boy and in the full grown man. There may come a time in the lives of some boys when they long to see strange places, and with this object they leave home; but if they have a trade they will not go far until they drop into some place where they can earn good wages. There they get acquainted, make friends and get over their desire to travel. Repressive and reformatory measures are good, but preventive are much better, and there is no preventive more effective than to equip every boy with the means of earning a livelihood by a good trade. Manual and technical training would uplift tens of thousands who without it will remain a burden upon the community. It will not only make thrifty, law-abiding citizens, it will increase and diversify our industries and make our prosperity more general and more stable.

**THE CITY PHYSICIAN QUESTION.**

After consulting several members of the Board of Charity, we learn that the present city physician, Dr. Forster H. Smith, is giving entire satisfaction, and doing his work well. That being so, we believe it would be wrong to displace him by a man who has just received his medical degree.

If Dr. Smith is to be superseded let it be by a man of recognized professional ability, not by a professional tyro.

The law provides that the inmates at the farm and the victims of accident or other misfortune who may come mangled or maimed to the police

station, shall have free medical or surgical treatment. That of course implies treatment by a man of experience and recognized ability, and it would be an injustice to these people to employ for this purpose a man who has had no experience except that received in the class room.

We do not believe any member of the city council would employ an inexperienced physician to attend his family or himself, and hence he should not vote to have the 400 or 500 people at the city farm dependent upon the services of such a man. Even though these people are poor they are not supposed to be turned over to medical students for experimental purposes.

**SEEN AND HEARD**

The many Lowell friends of Miss Sadie Radcliffe, the clever character actress formerly of the Academy of Music stock company, will be interested to learn that she is this season a member of the company which presented "The Life of an Actress" at the Opera House, Friday and Saturday. As may be assumed, Miss Radcliffe is making a big hit with the show, presenting an important character and in that important manner that has made her famous among the character actresses of the stock world. Speaking of the Academy players of former seasons, Mr. Lynn Osborne, who played the "heavies" for last year's company, is on the road with the Leigh Delacy and played New London last week. Byron Nichols dropped into town a few days ago while en route to Nashua for this year he is manager for Daniel Ryan, Charlie Clark, the well-known comedian, has bought the Knickerbocker stock company and is on the road with it, while John Lyons, of this city, is a member of the company. When in Boston drop in on the Boston theatre stock company with which our old friend John Garry is assistant stage manager and character actor. Donald Meek, formerly of the Academy, is making a big hit with the Castle Square stock company, though it is whispered in stageland that he signed a contract with the Boston Theatre company and then shifted.

**IN LATE FALL**

Low, gray clouds, and a cold, drear rain;  
A trickling mist on the windowpane.  
A cheerless wind blowing 'round the eaves,  
And a deepening carpet of sodden leaves,  
And a southward sun  
Tells of summer done,  
With its rich, rare, harvest of golden sheaves.  
A chilling frost, and a crisp air keen;  
The sun gleams with a myriad sheen;  
The ripe nuts fall from the branches high  
And the day dies out with a sob and sigh.  
But the firelit hearth  
Is a scene of mirth  
When shadows are falling athwart the sky.  
An evening lamp sheds its mellow glow  
Where children are playing to and fro,  
The world shut out and the home joys in  
Forgot the day and its busy din.  
And the cares of day  
Fast fade away  
When the evening joys of home begin.

**EDITORIAL COMMENT**

**Our National Anthem**  
N. Y. Sun: The eminent bandmaster and projector of peace jubilees, Patrick Sarsfield Gilmore, was deeply concerned about this great country's poverty in the matter of a national anthem. Many others have suffered from similar anxiety, and several composers, who never succeeded in writing a successful song, have stopped in the imminent deadly breach with handmaiden national anthems. With singular unanimity these anthems have declined to become national. They have not even become local. They have just faded.



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**PEOPLE OF NOTE**

For the first time in the history of the university a blind boy has entered Cornell. His name is William H. Moore, and his home is in Brooklyn. He came to Ithaca with his mother, who guided him around the hill and to the class rooms. He has entered as a freshman in the College of Arts and Sciences, and hopes to be able to take the A. B. degree. Moore for some time has been a student at the New York Institute for the Blind. He has engaged a reader who will assist him in his studies. His work will be carried on by means of raised type. He says that after he has been at Cornell for several weeks and becomes acquainted with the campus he can easily find his way about. He is about 15 years of age, and is reputed to be a bright student.

By invitation of the Ousamequin club the Massachusetts State Federation will hold its autumn meeting at Bridgewater on Friday, November 3. The meeting will be held in the Congregational church. At the morning session the speaker will be Mrs. Margaret J. Blair, of St. Paul, Minnesota, head of the domestic arts department of the Minnesota State Agricultural school. Her subject will be "Home-Making in Art." The speaker for the afternoon will be Melville Dewey, president of the Lake Placid club, whose subject will be "The Future of Home Economics."

The Rev. Dr. William Douglas Maclellan, president of the Hartford Theological seminary, is the New England member of the International Sunday School Lesson Committee, and is scheduled to be one of the prominent speakers at the demonstration to be held in Tremont temple, Boston, on the 19th, the object of which is to give an impetus to Sunday school work in the New England. On the program, also, will be Marion Lawrence, the general secretary of the committee; Professor E. A. Hamill, D. D., superintendent of teacher training in the Methodist Episcopal church, who has just returned from a six months' trip to Japan and Korea; Rev. Dr. McElfresh, teacher-training superintendent; Mrs. Rayner, the elementary superintendent, and W. N. Hartshorn.

Yale university will, by the will of Arthur Stedman, son of Edmund Clarence Stedman, benefit to the extent of \$200,000, should his residuary estate be double that amount. The sum is to establish a fund in memory of his mother, known as the Laura Hyde Woodworth Stedman fund, whose income is to be devoted to the general purposes of the university, the principal whereof is to be kept intact as a separate fund, and need not be separately invested by the treasurer. Should the residue of the estate amount to \$4000, Yale is to receive half of its net value. The remainder goes to Laura Woodworth Stedman, a niece.

The British consul-general at Boston, Captain William Wyndham, retires from public life, and will live in London. Captain Wyndham is sixty-five years old. At the age of eighteen he was a lieutenant in the Royal Artillery, and was made captain in 1868. He retired in 1876, and four years later he accepted a post at Jaipur, Hayti. He was appointed consul for the states of Colorado, North and South Dakota, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Wisconsin and Wyoming in 1897. In 1898 the territory of Oklahoma and Indian Territory were added to Captain Wyndham's district. After his transfer to Boston his district included the states of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont and Massachusetts. Great Britain has only two consul-generals in this country—one at New York and the other at Boston.

A remarkable series of ascents, some of them the most difficult in the Alps, have been made by a young Dutch girl, Mlle. Henriette Nivel, aged 14, who recently climbed the Matterhorn and

away, and a heartless government has continued to recognize only one national anthem, "The Star Spangled Banner."

It appears now that Professor William Milligan Sloane, a profound student of history, is dissatisfied with "The Star Spangled Banner," and that he intends to procure for us a better song. Every good American who has tried to sing the present national air will wish him success. Government brass bands on board flagships and at army posts can play it with stirring effect, but for the ordinary unschooled singer it is almost as troublesome as "Killarney."

Mont Blanc. Accompanied by the guides Couttet and Hoffman, she has since again ascended to the Vallet observatory to visit the Russian astronomer, M. Stephani. Mlle. Nivel's other climbs are: Grande Charnoz, 11,280 feet; Aiguille du Midi, 12,605 feet; Aiguille du Geant, 13,156 feet—all difficult ascents—and a number of less important peaks.

During the past summer some extraordinary climbing feats have been accomplished in the Mont Blanc district by children and dogs. George Fay, a French lad of seven, accompanied by his father and grandfather, aged 52, crossed the Mad de Glace and Mauvais Pas—where a Parisian lady was killed a few days before—and the next day, always unaided, mounted to the top of the Brevent, 9,830 feet. Louis Venard, aged eight, and his sister Bertha, aged nine, accompanied by the guide Ravanel, climbed to the summit of the Aiguille de l'In and the Petits Charnoz, 9,300 feet high respectively. A young Parisian lady, Mlle. E. Obichie, probably hearing of the exploit of the young St. Bernard dog which ascended Mont Blanc in search of its master, took her terrier with her when she made the ascent of that mountain. The terrier seemed to encourage the climb and was not fatigued, eating a good champagne lunch on the summit with his mistress.

**LOWELL OPERA HOUSE**  
A return engagement of the sensational melodrama, "The Millionaire's Revenge," will be played at the Opera House this afternoon and evening. This play, which has been here last season, playing to the largest houses, is based here by the popular priced attraction, is based on the famous Shaw-White tragedy, and was written by Hal Reid, one of the most successful writers of melodramas, which is in itself a guarantee of excellent treatment of the subject. Perhaps one of the most interesting scenes in the play is in the first act, the supper scene, at which the artist's model is brought to the banquet table in a huge pile which on being cut releases the beautiful figure of the girl surrounded by doves. The company engaged to present this play this season is in every respect as good as that of last season, and includes in the cast, Frank T. Chatter, who will be seen in the character of "Harold Daw," the young millionaire. A complete scenic production is promised.

**MARIE DORO**  
One of the earliest and most substantial successes of the existing theatrical season has been achieved by Marie Doro, now in her second season as a star under the banner of Charles Frohman, in "The Richest Girl," a new comedy in four acts by Avault and Morton, authors of "My Wife." In this success Marie Doro's winsome, fascinating personality plays a large part, for to the role of "Benjamin's Mother," the coquette girl, favored and witty daughter of the chocolate king of France, she brings many of those quaint qualities which were earlier disclosed by her as "Carlotta," in "The Morals of Marcus," and as "Clarice," in the Gillette comedy of that title, "The Richest Girl," which has been given presentation by Mr. Frohman in this country prior to its introduction in the Gallic capital, where

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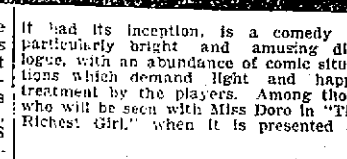
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It had its inception, is a comedy of particularly bright and amusing dialogue, with an abundance of comic situations which demand light and happy treatment by the players. Among those who will be seen with Miss Doro in "The Richest Girl," when it is presented at



the Opera House tomorrow night, will be Orrin Johnson, especially engaged, Louis E. Masses, Frederic Eric, Frank Burbuck, Fred Tiden, Desmond Kelley, Beatrice Merfield and Anne Meredith.

**MARIE DORO**  
In the New Success, "The Richest Girl."

**FRANK LALOR**  
There is no abatement in the demand for seats for Frank Lalor's appearance at the Opera House, next Wednesday, matinee and night, in the musical comedy "Prince Hamburg." Ever since the side opened Saturday morning there has been an almost constant line of purchasers at the box office, and people are now little doubt that the popular comedian and his great organization will be greeted by as many people as can be crowded within the four walls of the house. Knowledge seems to be general that this will be a performance of unusual brilliancy, and this fact, supplemented by Mr. Lalor's splendid standing interest which has asserted itself, will be recalled by those who attended the very first performance which Mr. Lalor gave of his earlier success, "Common Sense for the Boys," that the house was packed to the rafters.

Upon his first return engagement, however, people were hurried away and on every succeeding announcement of his coming, the house was sold out in advance. It is to be hoped that the comedian's greeting to his audience will be marked by the same crowds with which his fine abilities were complimented during all of the recent engagements in "Coming Thru" the house was packed to the rafters. The sketch has a strong dramatic interest, and the dialogue teems with brilliant epigrams. Mr. Lalor's character is a copy of the famous character is a copy of the famous character is a copy of the famous character.

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**HATHAWAY'S THEATRE**  
Occasionally, through misfortune, some of the Hathaway regulars has to play a show at the popular theatre, but all are carefully selected not to miss this work's entertainment, as it is too good an amusement proposition to let go. The big headline attraction is the most talked-of dramatic production of the day—"The Devil"—which has set the theatrical world in a ferment. The play will be given by the famous actor, Vernon Randall, who has condensed and adapted the drama for this city. The sketch has a strong dramatic interest, and the dialogue teems with brilliant epigrams. Mr. Randall's character is a copy of the famous character is a copy of the famous character.

**CHANGE OF TIME BEGINNING MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1908.**  
First car leaves Ayer for North Chelmsford and Lowell at 6:05 a.m., then five minutes past every hour up to and including 10:05 p.m., connecting with cars from Fitchburg and Leominster.  
First car leaves Lowell for North Chelmsford, connecting for Ayer, Westford, Fitchburg and Leominster at 5:15 a.m. The next car leaves Lowell at 5:30 a.m., then thirty-three minutes past every hour up to and including 9:33 p.m. The 10:33 p.m. and 10:43 p.m. cars from Lowell for Ayer leave North Chelmsford at 11:15 p.m., due at Ayer at 11:55 p.m.  
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skilful performer on the largest saxophone in the world. Charles Leonard Fletcher is unquestionably America's greatest impersonator. His impersonations include the famous actors of America and England, and his performance is very high-class and artistic. The Six American Dancers are a sextet who are unequalled in their Terpsichorean revels. "Three pretty girls and three young men" are included in all of them have won medals galore for their proficiency in dancing. Their dressing is a feature of the act, as they appear in a marvelous succession of costume changes that are dazzling and bewildering in their brilliancy, contributing a very riot of color as the dancers trip about the stage. A number of intricate and beautiful dances are introduced, and the finale is a solo challenge dance by each member which gives the act a sensational finish. Grift London's festive juggler, the favorite of the music halls, does a bit of everything in the line of juggling, keeping his audience convulsed with merriment. But the eccentricities of action, and his running fire of jest. The Berkeas, father and son, offer an entertaining medley of singing, dancing and impersonations. Robert's animals, including bears, dogs, and a cigarette-smoking monkey, will delight the children and please the grown-ups as well. The show closes with a series of the latest moving pictures.

**ACADEMY OF MUSIC**

A play never before given in this city, a play full of thrilling incidents, yet with a large share of real comedy, is to be presented at the cosy Academy of Music this week by the Doston-Pitt Stock company. The title of the drama is "A Girl's Best Friend," and a special effort has been made by Charles D. Stedman to make the staging finer than anything which has yet been put on the boards at the local theatre this season.

The play is southern and tells the love story of a little girl, daughter of a Washington home and brought up among the "poor white trash" of the Southern mountains. Miss Della Deshon appears as the little wife who grows into beautiful womanhood, a role which calls for the best in the histrionic art.

Miss Deshon is quite sure of excellent support. There is, for instance, Victor Browder, who appears as her lover of the mountains. Then there are W. D. Woodworth as the dandy, the playboy, and the villain who goes insane, and Billie Luckaye and Harry Horne in unusually strong comedy parts. Miss Chrystal Benson has a capital role as "Della Jackson," while Miss Annie Atty and Miss Marie Pert have roles well fitted to their excellent ability.

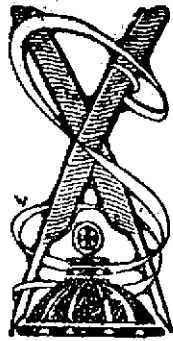
The play will be given tonight for the first time, and afterwards and evenings during the remainder of the week.

**STAR THEATRE**

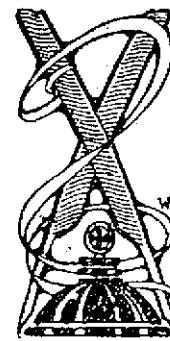
There are special vaudeville features this week at the Star. Vaudeville peculiarly adapted to the patrons of this house, mostly women and children. There is a strong dramatic picture shown entitled "The Gambler's Fate," which is intensely interesting from start to finish, and which has a happy ending. There are two rolling comedies, the one entitled "Uncle Billy's Bull," is about the best seen for a long time. The songs are "Everybody Loves Me" and "The I Love a select ballad, and Kerry Miller's "Barn Dance" song, which is the newest and best of its class on the market. The dancing contest on Wednesday night will remain at the house just as the amateurs on Tuesday nights are doing.



Blanche Bates Scores  
In "The Fighting Hope,"  
Latest Belasco Produc-  
tion--Story of the Emo-  
tional Drama :- :-



# PLAY NEWS and REVIEWS



"Father and Son" a  
Flat Failure --- Faver-  
sham In "The World  
and His Wife," With  
Julie Opp :- :-

[From Our New York Dramatic Cor-  
respondent.]

DAVID BELASCO has scored another success with "The Fighting Hope" at the Stuyvesant theater, Blanche Bates appearing in the stellar role.

The author of the play is an unknown personage to the eastern stage, William J. Hurlburt, and, while his production bears various amateurish touches, it must, as a whole, be classed as a decided hit. Just what portion of the success is due to Mr. Belasco it is of course difficult to state, but it may well be assumed that the "wizard" had as much to do with evolving a successful vehicle as the credited author himself.

#### Blanche Bates' Acting.

"The Fighting Hope" is well staged and acted intelligently by a thoroughly capable company. Miss Bates is equipped with an emotional role that

toward the latter part of the play gives her well devised opportunities to "tear up" the feelings of her auditors after her fashion in "The Darling of the Gods." Miss Bates has never done a better bit of acting than in her present role.

#### A Wife and Her Mission.

Mr. Hurlburt's play tells a story of a woman who has an unworthy husband. Accused on a criminal charge, she believes him innocent and secures a position as a typewriter in order, as she hopes, to get evidence of the innocence of her children's father.

But her efforts do not turn out in the way the wife and mother expected. Instead she finds evidence that her husband is a guilty man. Later he confronts her, accuses her of infidelity and other things. However, he is shot, and the wife is left to marry again and so to mend a life that otherwise would have been hopeless. Probably there were women in the audience who fervently wished that the opportune shooting of husbands as occurring on the stage might extend to real life.

#### The One Big Fault.

"The Fighting Hope" has one noticeable fault--the necessary action is delayed. The playwright saves his fire until, in true Revolutionary style, he can see the whites of the last act's eyes. Of course a suspension of the culmination of a plot is necessary in a play as it is in a novel, but the delay of action must in a play, as in a book, be done skillfully, else the story pall on its followers and fails to hold interest.

"The Fighting Hope" does not sustain the spectator's interest through its opening passages, but the undoubted strength of the latter part in a measure atones for the defect that otherwise might have proved fatal.

Charles Richman, who once aspired to stardom, was effective in support of Miss Bates in a prominent role.

#### "Prisoner of Zenda" Revived.

James K. Hackett has put on a revival of "The Prisoner of Zenda" at the Hackett theater. Mr. Hackett himself appears in the Rose dramatization of Anthony Hope's novel, in which he scored a success years ago.

Mr. Hackett's acting has not suffered through his temporary absence from the stage. He played the leading role even better than when he originally gave it.

His voice showed especial improvement as regards flexibility. The romantic drama won a host of admirers in the past and is again winning encouraging support.

The supporting company proved decidedly capable. Brigham Royce as Duke Wolfgang; afterward Black Mitchell; Arthur Hoops as the Earl of Rassendyl; afterward Captain Hentzen; Carl Ahrendt as Colonel Sapt; Miss Habel Roebuck as the Princess Flavia and Miss Nina Morris as An-



MARIE DORO, WHO HAS A NEW PLAY.



BEAUTIFUL MARY MANNING, STARRING IN "GLORIOUS BETSY."

toinette de Mauban were especially commendable. (Mrs. Faversham) opened in Washington in "The World and His Wife" at the Belasco theater. C. P. Nirdlinger, un-

known as a stage writer, is the author. Mr. Faversham in the role of a young man found considerable favor. The

play treats of the far-reaching effects of slander on the fortunes of innocent people.

The play violates a rule of modern three act productions in that its climax comes at the very end of the last act.

#### Norris in a Failure.

William Norris has taken a painful tumble in "Father and Son" at the Majestic theater. The play was announced for production and then postponed. Now that it has been put on it seems strange that the postponement should not have lasted forever. Mr. Norris is an excellent actor, one of the best in his field, but no mortal could make the play survive. Edgar Selwyn wrote the "drama."

#### "A Gentleman From Mississippi."

Thomas A. Wise and Douglas Fairbanks are seen in the principal roles of a new play entitled "A Gentleman From Mississippi." They opened at the National theater in Washington.

The play is pretty much of a comedy, with several well planned dramatic situations, and it presents side lights on social and political life in Washington.

#### Gertie Millar's Success.

Gertie Millar and "The Girls of Gottemberg," from London, continue to crowd the big Knickerbocker theater to the doors. It is apparent that Miss Millar will be welcome to remain in New York all this year and that theater goers during her stay will not soon tire of the jolly music, the songs and pretty little girls in Dutch military costumes that appear at intervals.

Miss Millar herself has grown into an enormous favorite during her stay. Her songs "Mr. Schneider" and "Berlin on the Spree" are enjoyed to the utmost, and Louise Dresser's piquant song, "Queenie Was There With Her Hair in a Braid," is also one of the hits of the show.

#### New Play For Mme. Kalich.

Harrison Grey Fiske has obtained for Mme. Bertha Kalich's use the coming season a play by Mme. Fred de Groux, who has written it expressly for the actress.

Mme. de Groux made a careful study of Mme. Kalich's art last season, and she has created a role that is believed will give opportunity for the illustration of her powers. The scenes of the play are laid in Paris and Switzerland. The story is described as intensely interesting. The chief role, which Mme. Kalich will originate, is that of a fascinating, gifted and impulsive woman who is swayed by the conflicting claims of love and an artistic career. The theme is neither tragic nor gloomy, but the interest is serious.

Unlike most modern French plays, it does not deal in any form with the sex problem or question of morals. The fabric is dramatic, however, and it develops scenes of emotional

strength. The play contains a great deal of comedy of character, the author having drawn some of her material from contemporary Bohemian theatrical life in Paris.

Mme. Kalich expresses her pleasure that she is at last to be seen on the American stage in a play that is neither morbid nor gloomy.

*Frederick Tringali*

#### M'INTYRE AND HEATH.

McIntyre and Heath will tour in a big musical comedy by H. A. Du Souchet entitled "The Steeplechasers." Messrs. McIntyre and Heath will again appear surrounded by the usual lot of pretty girls and clever dancers. There also will be in the book a serious vein which will give them the opportunity to show their ability as the best interpreters of the southern negro type on the American stage, not only in his lighter and farcical moods, but also in his more serious moments.



ELSIE WILKS IN SHEATH GOWN.

## Football Campaign of 1908 Opens With Loud Noise

THE gridiron season has swooped down like a wolf on the fold, with a dozen big college teams in action, and great is the joyful clamor thereat. Punctured larynxes and busted vocal cords will multiply like the long eared progeny of the Kansas Jack rabbit.

Opening games in both the east and west indicate that the men now on trial as candidates for positions in the lineups in the big games of the latter part of the season are in many cases up to the required standard. Therefore the prospects for a season of really high class play are excellent and, as regards two or three teams, actually exceptional.

It was to be expected that the Carlisle Indians would open the season for the big teams. These players are the chief advertising medium of the government school at Carlisle, Pa., and as they have little else to do besides play football they are always in good form weeks before any other prominent eleven. Other college teams that have already played regularly scheduled games are University of Pennsylvania, Brown, Syracuse, Lafayette, Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Cornell, Wesleyan, Chicago, Purdue, Indiana and Michigan universities.

While it is difficult to predict the strength of football teams at this early stage of the year, the reports of conditions at various of the big universities should prove of considerable help.

#### At Chicago.

Coach Stagg's eleven is just now the most feared aggregation in the middle west. The early signs are that Chicago will round into championship form sooner than any of her rivals.

#### At Michigan.

The loss of most of the veterans of last year has plainly discouraged Coach "Hurricane" Yost. Instead of thirty-five men answering his first call for candidates only thirteen responded. No less than seventeen likely Wolverines were debarred from joining Yost's squad because of the faculty's vigorous insistence that failure in studies should disqualify.

On this season's team, not counting Schulz at center, which position is a downright certainty, there are but four men who have had experience. These are Casey, Allerdice, Wasmund and Watkins, all sure of places. Michigan plays six games before Pennsylvania visits them. Casey and Wasmund played in five championship games last year as varsity men, Allerdice in four

and Watkins in one, that being in the Pennsylvanian game, Watkins having suddenly developed into a star at that time. Among the newer material is Douglas, a Martindale (Ill.) lad who is showing up strongly for a back field position. Bonbrook, the 210 pound Chicago lad, is now eligible and is being molded for a tackle position.

#### At Yale.

Yale has a strong coaching staff on the ground at New Haven, including George Chadwick, Tripp, Al Sharpe, ex-Captain Biglow and Tad Jones, the great quarterback.

There is a pretty fight on for the quarterback position. The leading candidate now is Hopkins, quarter on the freshman team of last year. He is cool headed, a fast runner and a quick dodger when running back punts. He won the game against the Harvard freshmen last fall. H. P. Bingham, former quarter at Taft school, and J. R. Kilpatrick, former Andover halfback, are also aspirants for the quarterback's job.

This year the line needs strengthening, for of last year's team the only linemen back are Goebel and Cooney, the guards. Goebel is a second class, but Cooney will have to fight for a position in the line this year. Brides will probably be seen at left guard again, and Cooney will try for center.

In Andrus and Hobbs Yale has a pair of tackles who will be exceedingly hard to equal. Hobbs played on Dartmouth, and so when he went to Yale last spring he was temporarily disqualified for the team.

Coy, of course, will play fullback. In practice he has shown that he has lost none of his skill in punting, and, though there has been no scrimmaging, he looks as if he was still able to go through the line.

There is a wealth of material for the halfback positions. Fred Murphy of Westboro is probably the best of the lot and is sure to hold one of the places. For the other the most promising man is Fred Daly, who played four years at Andover and who was captain there. Another promising man

for halfback is H. M. Wheaton, Yale's only drop kicker, who camped all summer in Maine with Daly.

#### At Harvard.

The Harvard followers are jubilant over the large number of men they have from whom to pick their team members. There are fewer candidates for the line than for any other department.

The choice of a first team should not be very difficult for Houghton just

now, so far as the line is concerned. There are Nourse for center, Burr for one guard and McKay, who, by the way, is the likeliest physical specimen on Soldiers' field, for the other guard.

Burr wants to play guard again this year. He did not take to tackle last year, and he never was as strong there as in the place he played on the Harvard team in 1905 and 1906.

The return of Fish, tackle on last year's team, who with Burr represents the veteran element for this

year's team, will provide for the other side of the line. Fish showed streaks of being far above the average linemen, and this, with the coaching he will get this fall, will assure Harvard individual strength of whatever side of the line he plays.

Crowley and Corbett, last year's freshmen ends, with Houston, a substitute in 1907, are the likeliest looking ends; G. G. Brown and Culler and Sprague stand as the most promising material for quarterback.

The presence of Houghton, Kernan and Burr on the field is enough to assure a good kicking department at Cambridge this year. Harvard never has had a scoring goal from the field before, but Houghton is one of the very best men Cambridge ever has turned out. He, Kernan and Burr also stand out as the best punters Harvard has had for fifteen years.

#### At Wisconsin.

Wisconsin has a coterie of able veterans out for the varsity team in "Jumbo" Stiehm for center; Messmer, Boyle, Jakish and Murphy, tackles; Lowman and Captain Rogers, ends; Whitaker, substitute of last year is back, and he may be utilized at fullback. Paulas, a heavy man, looks good at guard. Taken as a whole, Wisconsin's chances appear bright.

#### At Princeton.

The Jersey men are more confident now than at this early period for several seasons back. For one thing, enough veterans have returned to form a strong nucleus. Princeton is better fixed as regards quarterback than any other big team. Captain Eddie Dillon is a scintillating quarter, a field general par excellence, and his experience will prove of decided benefit to the team.

The Tigers will have a hard time finding a man who can make drop kicks and work the outside kick as Harlan did. But with McCrohan, a slashing line buster who wasn't eligible last year and who is expected to fill McCormick's shoes, the veteran Tibbott, as well as Reed and Dawson, the Princeton back field promises to be a hummer. There is good material for the line in Buckingham, Walter, Stelling, Whaley, McPadden, Welch and Dowd. To find a center the equal of Phillips and ends of the Wister standard will be a problem difficult to solve.

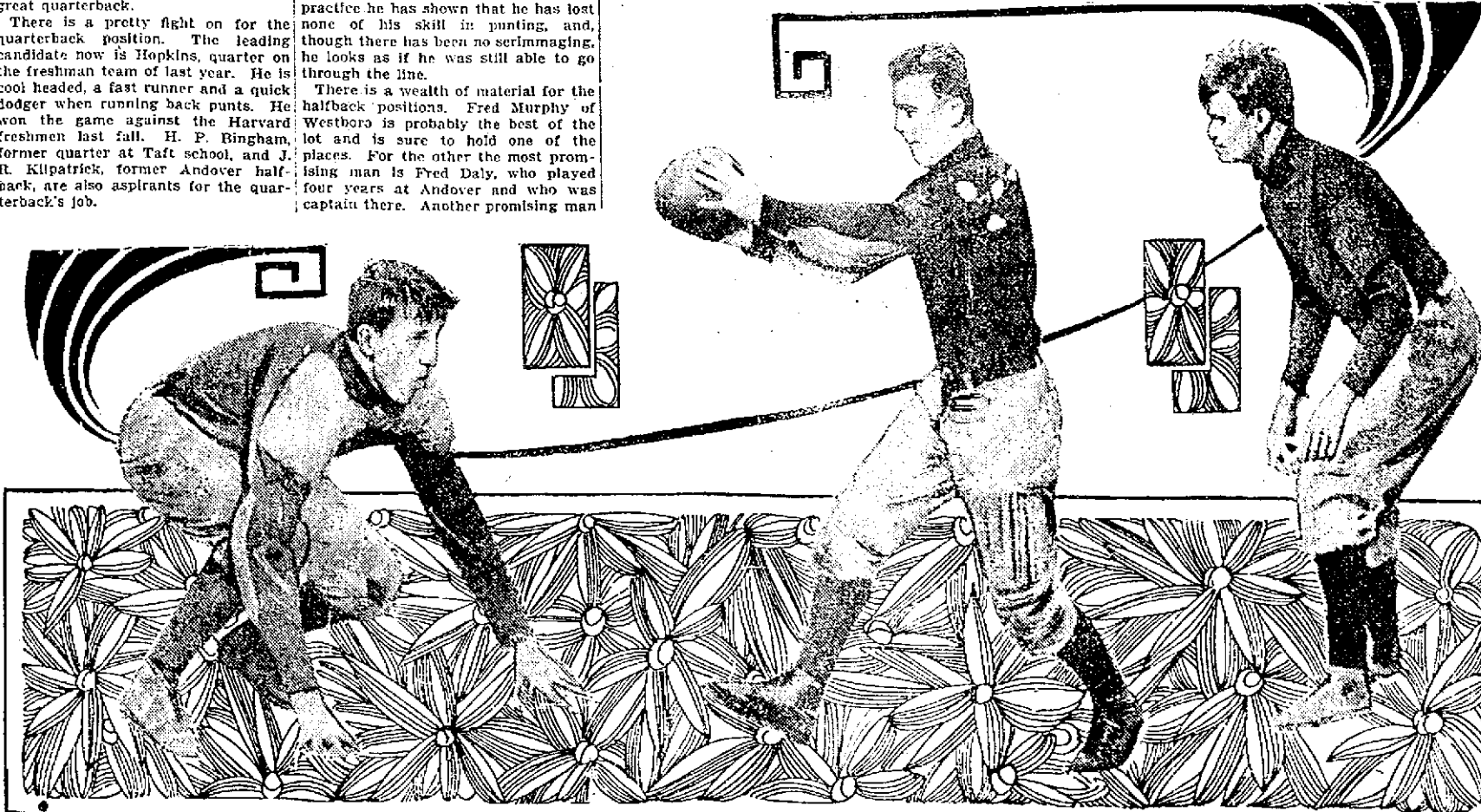
#### At Illinois.

The Illini have nine veterans on hand, more than any other of the leading teams. As a result, they clearly expect a victory over Chicago when they meet Oct. 17, a date far too early for Stagg's liking.

#### ARTHUR ROCKWOOD.

#### DOG SHOW DATE.

The Bloomington (Ill.) Kennel club at a meeting recently fixed the date for its annual bench show, selecting Jan. 27-30, 1909. It is planned to present a larger list of entries than ever before.



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## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The grand officers of Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Massachusetts have arranged a series of visits to subordinate lodges for the purpose of witnessing the work of the different degrees under the new ritual and to further the interest of the order in this jurisdiction.

Wednesday evening of this week they will visit Centralville lodge, 215, at which time the third degree will be conferred upon two candidates. The degree staff has been hard at work for several weeks, rehearsing the work in order that the degrees may be conferred in the same impressive manner as in the past for which they had a reputation that was more than local.

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## MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Napoleon Demers and Miss Marie Roy were married yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph's rectory, by Rev. Fr. Ouellette, O. M. M. Mr. William Roy was his daughter's witness, and Mr. Achille Demers stood with the bridegroom. In the evening a dinner was served at the residence of the bride, 253 School street, followed by a reception to a large party of guests.

## DRACUT

Rev. A. C. Saxman, pastor of the Dracut Congregational church, has tendered his resignation to the pulpit supply committee of that church. He has occupied the pulpit for about two years, but has accepted a call to a pastorate at Evans, Pa.

The Ladies Aid society and the Men's brotherhood league of the Hillside church have joined forces in the inauguration of an annual harvest supper and entertainment to be held at the church next Thursday.

## AGAINST KEYES

## ACTION OF CONTRACT AGAINST CHELMSFORD MAN.

An attachment of \$2000 has been filed against Edwin H. Keyes of Chelmsford at the local court house in Gorham street, the plaintiff in the case being Alice Fisher. This is an action of contract and will be heard at the next session of the superior civil court.

## VESPER GOLFERS

## Defeat Winchester Men 16 to 5

The Vesper Country club golfers defeated the Winchester golfers in a team golf tournament Saturday by a score of 16 to 5. The local players showed considerable more skill than did the visitors and the match was a walkaway for the Vespers.

Thursday will now remain at the Vesper club for another year.

At the conclusion of the match, the players enjoyed an excellent dinner after which speaking was in order.

The finals for the club championship will be played next Saturday, when T. J. Clark and C. L. Knapp will battle for the title. H. J. Corwin and A. H. Sweet will play off on the same day for the championship consolation.

The draw for the finals for the club cup resulted as follows: J. A. Thompson vs. W. G. Eaton; A. D. Butterfield vs. C. F. Harris; E. K. Atwood vs. F. Stuart. These matches will be played next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The team match between Vesper and Winchester showed the following scores:

WINCHESTER.	POLES.
1. W. Small	1
2. G. M. Brooks	1
3. E. F. Rooney	1
4. A. Skelings	1
5. C. Russell	1
6. G. W. Deane	1
7. A. G. Fernald	1
8. W. Dunbar	1
9. P. T. Butler	1
10. A. W. Gentry	1
11. H. Sturman	1
12. H. Skerr	1
13. E. Barnard	1
14. E. Kinsley	1
15. E. Cushman	1
16. H. Reche	1
17. M. Brown	1
18. A. W. Wiley	1
19. C. W. Russell	1
20. H. Kelley	1
21. W. Maguire	1

Total 5

VESTERS.

1. T. Thorpe

2. T. Clark

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4. C. W. Brown

5. E. Knapp

6. F. Sturman

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## LOWELL HIGH WON

## Newburyport Was Outclassed by the Local Boys

Saturday afternoon Lowell High played its second game of the season and defeated Newburyport 34-0. The score shows very nearly the relative merits of both teams. After the first five minutes of play when Newburyport was an unknown and untried quantity, there was no other outcome possible but a local victory. After the Lowell boys tired Newburyport out in these first few minutes of play, and found out their capability and weakness, they settled down to hard, fast work and within nine minutes of play had scored two touchdowns and in two more minutes a third. At no time thereafter was Newburyport dangerous, save once, when Lowell because of penalties, was obliged to punt from behind his own goal. But Bartlett's punt soon put the ball out of danger.

Newburyport made their first down but twice, once in each half, and at all other times were forced to punt or surrender the ball on downs. In the other hand Lowell gained at will and was obliged to punt but twice. Time after time Lowell used the forward pass to good advantage, while Newburyport, trying it but twice, failed both times. Lowell tried three outside kicks and succeeded in making the play good twice. Newburyport tried this play once but failed to carry it through to success.

For Lowell Bartlett played a very striking game. He has just been shifted from end to tackle and just about fills the bill. The practice gained at end of following the ball stands him in good stead. Saturday he recovered two or three fumbled balls and was into every play. On several occasions he made splendid diving tackles, and on the offense could always be found helping and putting forward the man with the ball. The only two punts he made were both well executed and averaged over 40 yards.

Rooney played a very steady and clever game at center. On every center play he and the guards could be relied upon to open up good holds for the backs. On the defense he recovered a forward pass and was all over the field at once. The ends, especially O'Donoghue, showed up well as the results show. Both men recovered kicks, forward passes and never allowed an opponent to circle either ends.

The backfields, while not as fast as they will be expected to be later, are traveling at quite a rate now. Connell, Canney and Gargan all gained at will and through any place. The quarterbacks showed some improvement over last week's form especially in judgment and team work.

The game in detail: Newburyport won the toss and Lowell kicked off. On the first play Lowell was off side and was penalized five yards. Newburyport failed to gain and punted after two or three fumbles and an exchange of kicks. It was Lowell's ball on Newburyport's 35 yard line. Connell went through right tackle for 15 yards and Canney went through right guard for a touchdown. Rooney failed to kick the goal. Score, 5-0.

Lowell again kicked off and Bartlett nailed the man in his tracks. Rooney recovered a forward pass attempted by Newburyport. Connell went through left tackle once more, and again Canney carried the ball through center for a touchdown. Rooney kicked the goal. Score, 11-0.

Lowell kicked off once on the third play, Newburyport having failed to gain, punted. O'Donoghue recovered a forward pass and covered nine yards. Gargan shot through right tackle for ten more and then Connell on a play through the opposite side made a touchdown. Rooney kicked the goal. Score, 17-0.

Newburyport selected to kick off and Lavigne caught the ball. On an attempted quarter back kick, Newburyport got the ball and immediately afterwards Lowell recovered the ball on the same kind of a play. In three plays by Gargan, Connell and Canney the ball was again put over for the fourth touchdown. Rooney kicked the goal. Score, 23-0.

Newburyport kicked off and in a half a dozen more plays, the backs alternating in carrying the ball, Gargan skinned right tackle for 12 yards and a touchdown. Rooney failed to kick the goal. Score, 29-0. There was no further scoring in the half.

Lowell received the kick off and Lavigne who played Lavigne, ran it 17 yards. Gargan tore off 15 yards around right end, O'Brien made 12 more through left tackle and then Newburyport got the ball on a fumble. They failed to gain and kicked. In a series of plays, making 10 and 7 yards at a time, Lowell again scored. Canney carrying the ball. Rooney kicked the goal. Score, 35-0.

After this several substitutes were put in by Lowell and the ball was saved up and down till time was called.

The lineup:

LOWELL: O'Donoghue, le; Bartlett, rg; Canney, c; Gargan, rg; Connell, lb; Lavigne, lb; Rooney, lb; Taylor, lb; Connell, lb; Slattery, lb.

NEWBURYPORT: W. Worcester; H. M. Kinsley; J. Perkins; E. Kinsley; E. Elliott; J. Winder; J. Ayers; J. Hardy; J. Kane.

Y. M. C. I. WON

DEFEATS CHELSEA A. A. 35-0 IN OPENING GAME

The Y. M. C. I. football team opened its home season Saturday afternoon by defeating the strong Chelsea A. A. in a most decisive manner, the final score being 35-0. After the first few minutes of play it was plain to be seen that the boys from Chelsea were no match for the locals. The first touchdown was made in exactly five minutes, Jewett carrying the ball over on a straight rush through the opponents' right tackle. The second was made in three minutes by a series of good gains by O'Connor, Jewett and Craig. It was here that Captain Craig sustained a broken leg and Stone replaced him. McOsker, Jewett, Craig and O'Connor played a great game for the locals, while Hardacher and Murphy played strongly for the Chelsea team. The lineup:

CHELSEA A. A.: Stone, Cashin, re; Pearson, rg; Kilgus, c; O'Connor, lb; Duffy, McOsker, lb; O'Connor, lb; O'Connor, lb.

Y. M. C. I.: Jewett, rg; Canney, c; Gargan, rg; Connell, lb; Lavigne, lb; Rooney, lb; Taylor, lb; Connell, lb; Slattery, lb.

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H. Jewett, rlb; Craig, Stone, lb; Cudworth, qb.

The score: Y. M. C. I. 35; Chelsea A. A. 0. Touchdowns—Jewett 2; Stone 1, Craig 1, McOsker 1, O'Connor 1. Time—29 and 15 minutes halves. Referee—J. Harrington. Umpire—Geo. Burke. L. H. S. '08. Field Judge—J. Stevens. Linesmen—Martin and W. O'Meara. Timekeepers—Whalen and Hilly.

Manager King is trying hard to secure the crack Salem A. A. team for next Saturday at Washington park.

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# NIGHT EDITION

## SUITS FOR \$20,000

### Thirteen to be Tried at Next Session of Court

BROCKTON, Oct. 12.—After many days lasting through more than two years, fifteen suits for damages arising from the explosion at the plant of the R. B. Grover Co. here in which a number of lives were lost are expected to come up for trial at the November sitting of the superior court in Plymouth. In each of thirteen cases the damages asked for are \$20,000, and the list of damages are alleged injuries to chest, arms and in several cases more serious injuries. The other two cases

# MURDER MYSTERY

## Chicago Police Have Clues in the Thompson Case

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—Positive identification of Luman C. Mann, son of O. C. Mann, wealthy resident of Oak Park, as the purchaser of the rope which bound Mrs. Frances Thompson in her death struggles, the discovery of a key in his pocket which is said to fit the door to the death chamber in the house at 1242 Michigan avenue and the recovery of a watch from Mann's pocket, alleged to belong to the

# THE POLICEBOARD SWALLOWED TACK

## Conferred With Certain Liquor Dealers Today

### Chas. Manuel Narrowly Escapes Suffocation

The board of police met in special session today for the purpose of conferring with several liquor dealers who it is alleged had violated the law. The commissioners have received a number of complaints of late of liquor dealers and their clerks serving drink to intoxicated persons. What was done behind the closed doors was not given out for publication.

The board will also hold a special meeting at ten o'clock tomorrow morning for the purpose of discussing the evidence in the Hersey and Donovan hearings and it is expected that at the regular meeting of the board to be held tomorrow night that the findings will be made public.

# PEACE CONGRESS

## WAS OPENED AT GREENSBORO, N. C., TODAY

GREENSBORO, N. C., Oct. 12.—The North Carolina peace congress opened today in the great auditorium purchased from the Jamestown exposition and in the presence of a large audience assembled for the Greensboro centennial and the peace congress. At the opening of the session the following message from President Roosevelt was read:

"I wish I could be present at your congress. As it is not possible, may I ask through you to convey to those present my hope for a successful meeting."

(Signed) "Theodore Roosevelt."

In connection with this there was read to the congress remarks of the president by a delegation who called on him to ask his attendance. The president was quoted in part:

"I am glad to learn that the North Carolina peace society has declared itself in favor of adequate armament as well as effective arbitration. There is no inconsistency in advocating both of these things at the present time; on the contrary those who have the public welfare at heart fall in the performance of a part of their duty if they neglect to labor for both. The growth of the acceptance of the principle of international arbitration is necessarily slow; we should do all we can to hasten it; it is well to remember that the acceptance of this principle in any measure whatever depends exclusively upon the effective support it receives from the half dozen powers of great warlike strength. As things actually are at the present day we are helpless to further the cause of peace and of effective international arbitration unless to just and peaceful intentions we add a stout heart and a strong arm and this means military and naval preparedness to a far greater degree than is at present the case."

# THE STATE BRANCH

## Of Federation of Labor in Session in Lowell

With one of the largest representations of delegates in its history, the Massachusetts state branch of the American Federation of Labor commenced its 23d annual convention in Lowell, this city, today. Of a total membership of 213 local unions and 29 central labor unions as shown in the report of Acting Secretary Joyce of Boston, there were present delegates from nearly 25 different affiliated local unions and each of the 29 central bodies was represented.

Among those in attendance were Secretary-Treasurer Dennis Driscoll and Arthur M. Huddell of Boston who were with President Edward Cohen of the state branch when the latter was fatally shot a year ago while calling upon Governor Guild at the state house. Secretary Driscoll was himself wounded and has lately been able to leave the house.

The convention was organized in Associate hall by Philip Sweet of Boston, appointed to the office of president following the death of Mr. Cohen. With the appointment of committees and convention officers the delegates were ready for the annual session of the state officials and of those special committees which had been delegated to report upon subjects of interest of labor at this year's convention. Among these latter matters probably the most important to be considered was the report of the legislative committee. It was also expected that resolutions would be adopted concerning the attitude of the state unions on the existing strike of lasters in Lynn.

William E. Regan of Lowell was appointed sergeant-at-arms; M. A. Lee of Lowell, messenger, and James R. Cozier of Boston, carriage and wagon workers, assistant secretary.

Miss Anna T. Bone of Boston Cigar Factory Tobacco Strippers' union 337, A. F. of L. was the only woman delegate.

Mr. Joseph E. Convery of the local branch, was the first speaker introduced by the chairman. His was an address of welcome on the part of the local branch. Mr. Convery outlined the program for the convention and gave all a hearty welcome. When Mr. Convery called attention of the convention to the fact that Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan, had donated the hall for the convention, there was one roar of applause that might have been heard in Merrimack square.

Mr. Convery referred to Mr. O'Sullivan as labor's best friend in Lowell and perhaps in Massachusetts.

Mayor Farnham.

Mayor Farnham followed Mr. Convery and gave the city's welcome to the delegates.

"The city of Lowell," he said, "was a city of labor and we commend the efforts of unionism that seeks to improve conditions. Its efforts are to lend a helping hand to the weak, and I hope that your convention will be a harmonious one and that you will enjoy and benefit yourselves."

Chairman Sweet's remarks.

The chairman, in behalf of the delegates, thanked Mayor Farnham for his words of welcome and in explaining the purpose and necessity of the association, said:

"We believe that we are entitled to some of the good things of life. We want clubs, we want homes, we want work and we want leisure."

"To ask for these things individually would be foolish, indeed, and therefore we ask it collectively and there you have unionism."

This convention was brought to your city primarily to imbue the laboring



PHILIP H. SWEET, State President A. F. of L.

people here with the spirit to help themselves.

"We are all endowed with a certain amount of intelligence and we should make the best of our talents. We must help each other and in union there is strength."

President Sweet in his annual report deplored the loss to union interests of the old house and the new should have a WINCHESTER HEATER.

WELCH BROS., 81-83 Middle St.

tory and one that should make every wage earner of Massachusetts sit up and take notice.

"It is pretty much the same old story a fairly good house, but a very, very poor senate."

There seemed to be no organized movement this year in the senate to prevent any labor legislation. So much so that it was common to refer to the senate as the slaughter house for all labor bills.

Your committee believes that the time is opportune to urge upon every wage earner, organized and unorganized, the necessity of our fellow workers taking the initiative, and such necessary action as will carry the union's expression of organized labor into effect.

We recommend that such action be taken at the convention as will serve to awaken workers of this commonwealth to their sense of duty by defeating their enemies and electing their friends.

We believe it is the duty of laboring men to question candidates for office as to their attitude towards labor legislation.

We believe that all candidates for public office should be pledged to support labor legislation. Your committee believes that by proper work in the right direction the complexion of the senate of 1909 can be changed where it may be possible for wage earners of this commonwealth to receive fair and proper treatment for labor legislation.

Therefore we recommend:

1.—This convention declare what labor measures to concentrate our efforts upon; these bills to be known as state branch bills. That all delegates be instructed to keep in mind their friends on Beacon hill, also keep in mind the names of the gentlemen and where they come from, who were responsible for the unfavorable action on labor legislation desired, and that when they return home they make some effort to have candidates for public office pledged to support labor legislation.

The battle put up in the senate by the opponents of the bill recalls the battle of three years ago when the overtime bill, now a law, was defeated. The methods adopted to defeat that bill resulted in the retirement from political life of most of the men directly concerned in the affair. We believe what was done to retire to private life the African dodgers then in the senate can be done to the political acrobats of the senate of 1908.

Noon Adjournment.

The executive board's report of various meetings was referred to the committee on executive board without reading.

At 12 o'clock the convention adjourned for dinner and this afternoon the appointment of committees will be completed.

# FUNERALS

LYNCH.—The funeral of Anna Teresa Lynch, beloved daughter of John J. and Mary Lynch, was held yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the home of her parents, 2 rear S8 Andrew street, and was largely attended by many relatives and friends, showing the esteem in which the bereaved family was held.

After leaving the late home of deceased the long procession wended its way to the Catholic cemetery, where the remains were tenderly laid to rest in the family lot.

The floral offerings laid upon the grave were: A large spray of asters inscribed "At Rest," from the family; large spray of pinks, from Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Sullivan; and large bouquet of cut flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

The bearers were three brothers of the deceased, Timothy, Paul and Edward, and three relatives, John Martin and James Sheehan.

There were many out-of-town friends present from Cambridge, Boston, Lawrence and Haverhill.

The funeral arrangements and burial were under the direction of Undertakers John A. Finnegan & Co.

DOLAN.—All that was mortal of the late Patrick Dolan was tenderly consigned to its last resting place in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral cortege left the late home of the deceased, 181 Concord street, at 8.30 o'clock followed by a vast concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends and proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by the Rev. John P. McMorris, O. M. I., pastor of the church. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass. Solos were sung during the services by Mr. William Gookin and Mr. Charles P. Smith. As the body was being borne from the church "De Profundis" was rendered by the choir. Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ.

There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by his many friends and acquaintances. Among the most prominent were: Large pillow of roses and ferns, with the inscription "Faithful" from the family of the deceased; large pillow of roses inscribed "At Rest," from Mrs. Nora Devine, Mrs. Annie Farley, Miss Margaret Gallagher and Miss Nellie McManis; large wreath of roses, pinks and lilies, from Mrs. James Gookin and family. There were several other sprays from friends.

The bearers were Messrs. Christopher McGrath, Patrick Clark, Patrick McGilly and Thomas McDonnell.

The interment was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery where the last rites of the Catholic church were read at the grave by the Rev. John P. McMorris, O. M. I.

The funeral was largely attended and was under the direction of Higgins Bros., undertakers.

# SLIGHT BLAZE

## Caused Alarm From Box 9 This Afternoon

An alarm from box 9 shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon startled a portion of the fire department to a trivial blaze in a house in Pleasant street alley. A few dollars' worth of damage. The house was owned by Charles Dempsey.

Timothy J. McCarthy, the well-known conductor on the Braintree and Haverhill Central line of the Boston & Northern, has returned home after a pleasant trip to New York.

# THE THIRD GAME

## Big Crowd See Cubs and Tigers Clash at Chicago

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—Chicago and Detroit met here this afternoon in their third battle for the world's baseball championship. According to the announcements made by the managers of the rival teams Preister will pitch for the Nationals against Mullen of the Detroit Americans. The weather promises to be fair with shifting winds. The National league has the honor behind the bat, as O'Day will be umpiring there. Sheridan of the Americans will take care of affairs on the bases.

Predictions are that a heavy crowd will attend. The enthusiasts want to see Chicago make it three straight and fearing that they may miss the other world's championship game this season will come out no matter how the weather is. The series is four games out of seven.

Reserved seat tickets were put on sale at the West Side park this morning at 9 o'clock and the general admission pasteboards an hour later, when the gates were scheduled to be thrown open to the public.

From a baseball angle a great deal depends on today's game. If Chicago wins it means three straight and the confidence which goes with it. A Detroit victory would tend to put the American leaguers on their mettle even more than they are now. Both teams will take an early train tonight for Detroit to insure as early rest as possible. They play today and Thursday here. If the series is then in the national committee decides where the odd battle is to be staged.

A good sized crowd was in line when the sale of tickets began. The weather was chilly. The sun shone brightly but overcasts and rugs were in general use among the spectators.

# PARLIAMENT OPENS

## Another Irish Land Bill May be Introduced

LONDON, Oct. 12.—The autumn session of the British parliament was opened today. The entire ten weeks of the sitting will be taken up with consideration of government measures, the most important of which is the licensing bill. This measure will pass the house of commons but in the house of lords it will be either thrown out or amended and the controversy of last year between the two houses thus will be renewed. It is believed that an agreement will be reached with respect to the education bill and that this measure being quickly passed will make way for the introduction of another Irish land bill as well as measures dealing with the problem of the unemployed.

As soon as the business session was opened Premier Asquith was questioned with regard to the situation in the Balkans and in reply he said:

"The secretary for foreign affairs and myself have stated in public it is impossible for this country in the interests of existing treaties to uphold alterations made therein by individual states and we held to this principle. We regard the events that have taken place in the near east as necessitating concern by the powers with a view to arriving at a settlement which shall show due regard to the interests of Turkey and by any other state which may have been prejudiced by the recent changes and we trust that a solution will be found. We shall use our peaceful and equitable. No definite arrangements regarding a conference have been reported but the question of how a settlement can be obtained, and if it should be comprised therein is a subject of discussion."

In the meanwhile we hope that those who naturally feel aggrieved will not precipitate a crisis by hasty action but will continue to show that moderation and restraint which hitherto have distinguished them, relying on the general desire, which we believe exists, to show fair consideration to their interests."

# BALKAN TROUBLE

## Expected That Powers Will Find Friendly Solution of Crisis

LONDON, Oct. 12.—The news received this morning from the stern centers in the near east confirms the belief held in London that the powers will find a friendly solution of the crisis which has agitated Europe for more than a week. Serbia, it is now thought, has fallen in with the other states directly interested and is taking a more quiet view of the situation. The resolution of the Serbian national assembly passed today which amounts practically to a vote of confidence in the government has the matter of Serbia's attitude towards Austria-Hungary out of the hands of that easily swayed body and placed it with the cabinet. The members of the cabinet are aware of the actual state of affairs and decisions will be made with the powers and take no rash step. The powers can therefore continue their negotiations in the matter of an international conference without fear of interruption by an outbreak from any of the Balkan states.

A majority of the powers continue in favor of the conference and are opposed to Great Britain's suggestion that the matter could be more quickly settled by an exchange of notes and possibly a meeting of the ambassadors at Constantinople, a course that would avoid the introduction of questions other than accomplished facts. There is reason to believe that M. Lawsky, the Russian minister of foreign affairs in asking for the conference does not desire to reopen the entire near eastern question, that he is asking for something, however, is confirmed by a statement made today by an official of the Russian embassy. This said: "Great Britain cannot adhere to the stand she has taken, namely that the conference must be confined to the Austro-Serbian and Austro-Hungarian. The cabinet had a long meeting today at which Foreign Secretary Grey said that the position he had taken and explained the views of M. Lawsky. At

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WAR FEVER RUNS HIGH.

CETTINJE, Oct. 12.—The Montenegrin general assembly met here in extraordinary session. The war fever, resulting from the annexation by Austria-Hungary of Bosnia and Herzegovina which already is running high has been strengthened by a bellicose message to parliament from Prince Nicholas who declared that the annexation of these two provinces had inflicted a crying wrong upon the people of Montenegro and the people were prepared to sacrifice their last drop of blood unless the peaceful endeavors now on foot resulted in righting this grievance. The message was received with cheers and other demonstrations of approval.

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## 6 O'CLOCK

## HE SCORES TAFT

## Pres. Gompers Addresses a Circular to "Men Who Labor"

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—In performing a solemn duty at this time in support of a political party, labor does not become partisan to a political party but partisan to a principle," declares President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor in a circular issued today regarding labor's attitude in the campaign. He charges that the republican party and its candidate stand for further extending into this country a despotic government vested in the judiciary and that the democratic party and its candidate stand for government by law vested in the people.

The circular is addressed to "Men who labor, lovers of human liberty," and says in part:

"The judiciary inducted by corporations and trusts and protected by the republican party is step by step destroying government by law and substituting therefor a government by judges who determine what in their opinion is right, what is evidence, who is guilty and what the punishment shall be. This revolution is depriving the workers of their rights as citizens and will inevitably be made applicable to the business men later. Despotism under the ermine is as dangerous as despotism under the crown."

## HARRY K. THAW

## Must Remain in the Matteawan Asylum for Criminal Insane

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Harry K. Thaw will have to remain in the state hospital for the criminal insane at Matteawan, N. Y. until the court of appeals shall decide whether he is entitled to a hearing before a jury to determine whether he is insane. Justice Mills of the New York state supreme court recently refused to grant the application of Thaw's counsel for a jury trial on the sanity question and decided to hear the case himself without a jury.

Justice Mills said there was no other alternative than for Thaw to be returned to Matteawan asylum and he was ordered to be returned to that institution.

## SUIT OVER HORSE

## Was Heard in the Superior Court Today

The cases of Hannah and Katherine Woods against Frederick W. Thomas, one of the wealthiest citizens of Lowell, which were opened last Thursday before Judge White in the civil session of the superior court, now being held in this city, were resumed this morning and arguments were heard, after which the court charged the jury and the latter retired.

The jury in the case, after being out for a short period, returned with a verdict in favor of the defendant.

Draw vs. Parker  
The next case in order was that of Wallace Drew against Harry M. Parker, it being an appealed case from the lower court.

Mr. Drew in his declaration stated that he engaged a pasture in Steadman street, belonging to Mr. Parker, and placed his horse there. It is then alleged that Mr. Parker placed a horse which was suffering from glanders in the same pasture and that Mr. Drew's horse contracted the disease and had to be shot. Also it was claimed that Mr. Parker sold the horse, which it is alleged was suffering from glanders, to another party and that the horse was subsequently shot.

The case was heard in the local police court on April 21, 1908, and judgment was given the plaintiff in the sum of \$50 and costs, but the defendant appealed to the upper court. The horse owned by Mr. Drew was valued at \$125. J. J. Kerwin appeared for the plaintiff and William H. Bent for the defense.

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## CREW IS SAFE

## Men Thought to Have Been Drowned

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Captain Monroe and five of the crew of the British schooner Sirico who were supposed to have been lost when their vessel was wrecked off the Florida coast on Oct. 10, were landed here today by the fruit steamer Horatio, which arrived from South American ports by way of Havana. Two members of the Sirico's crew, who had been picked up by a vessel were landed in Newport News on Saturday. They believed they were the only survivors of the crew of eight who were picked up after having drifted on wreckage for five days. Captain Monroe and the men with him comprise the remaining members of the crew, which the other two had been lost and expressed great gratification today to learn of their escape. The six men had been afloat on the Sirico for four days. The Horatio was bound from Havana, Cuba, to Abasco in the Bahamas, and was wrecked on Mantilla reef, a tropical hurricane.

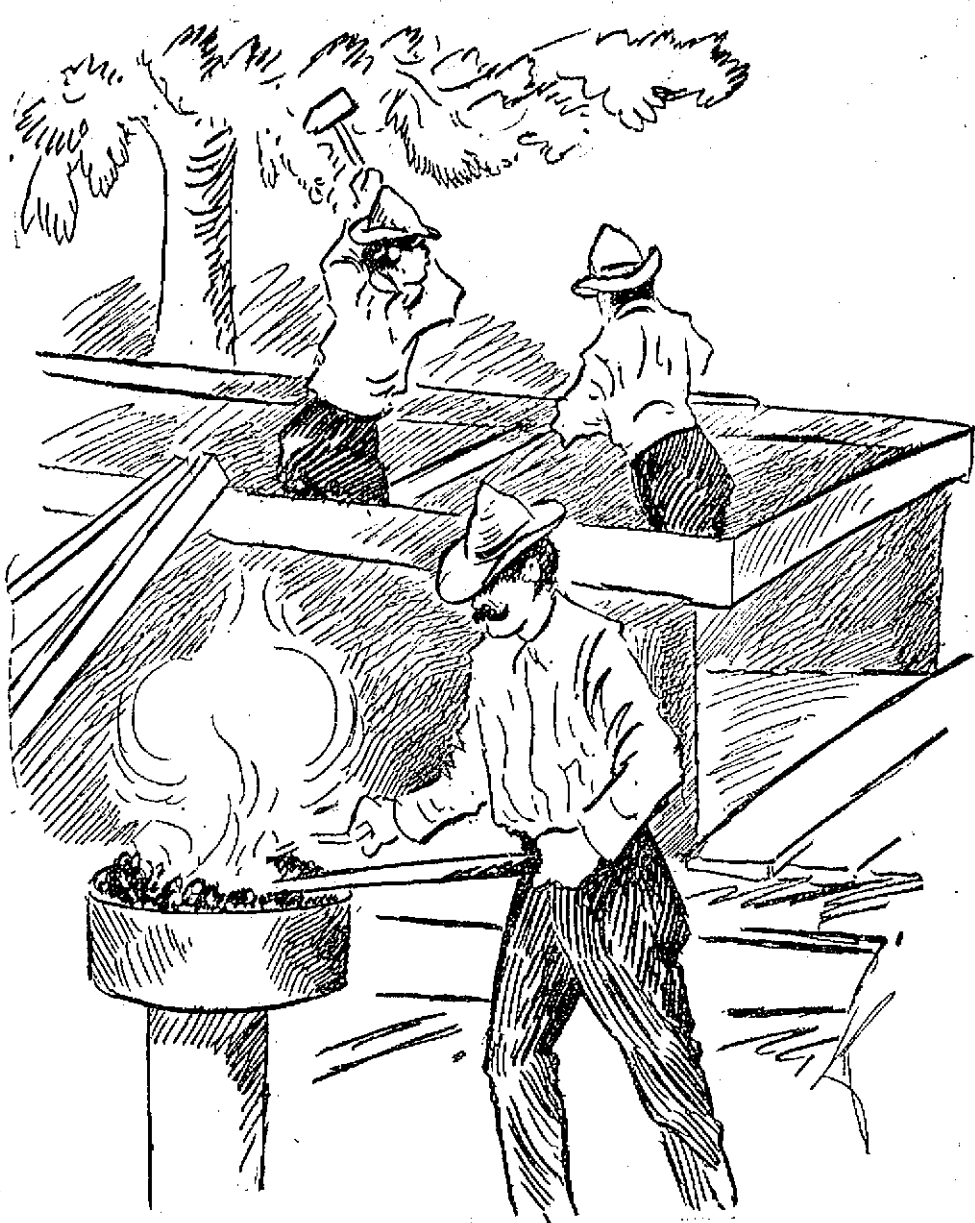
## THE PRESIDENT

## RECEIVED JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Before the admission of twenty-one members of the bar, the supreme court of the United States which convened at noon for the 100th term transacted no official business but immediately adjourned to make the usual formal call upon the president. The actual business of the term will begin tomorrow.

At the White House the justices were received in the blue parlor and after shaking hands with the president, escorted with him a short time. The president made no formal remarks.

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WORKMEN BUILDING THE NEW IRON SIDEWALK ACROSS THE CANAL ON EAST MERRIMACK STREET.

## WIDENING BRIDGE

## The Work is Progressing Rapidly

The work of widening the canal bridge in Merrimack square, together with the lowering of the 24 inch water main under the northerly side of the bridge is progressing rapidly. The work which is being done by the United Construction Company of Albany is in charge of A. H. Kittredge, secretary of the company.

The original bridge was 50 feet wide and altogether too narrow for the amount of traffic that passed over it and it was very dangerous for vehicles making their approach to the centre of the city owing to the abrupt turn when entering the easterly approach to the bridge.

The finishing touches were put on the skeleton structure today and everything will be in readiness to lower the steel beams as soon as the water pipe is lowered.

The construction company instead of meeting the joints of the water main as contracted for, substituted the contract to the water department and this afternoon the joints were melted and the work of lowering the pieces of pipe started. The construction company contracted to lower the pipes in 36 hours and during that time the water

will be shut off from that particular main.

The steel structure is resting on six jacks, two on either abutment and two on the centre pier, and will be lowered into place as soon as the pipe has been lowered. The work of laying the cement sidewalk with granolithic finish and the erection of a railing will then be started and it is expected that before long the sidewalk will be ready for travel.

When the new sidewalk is placed in position the roadway will be almost ten feet wider than it is at the present time.

The Boston & Northern Locks & Canals are working in conjunction in strengthening and improving the bridge. The railway company has placed four steel girders under their tracks and paved the centre of the bridge and later on the locks and canals will put in steel girders and improve the roadway.

## INDICT BAILEY

## He is Charged With Murder

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 12.—Two indictments for murder and one for assault with intent to kill were returned against William Bailey of Pawtucket by the grand jury in the superior court this morning.

Bailey is a blacksmith and is alleged to have shot West Howarth, a night watchman, William Gamell, a special officer, and Frank Bartman, a police officer in public, in Pawtucket on June 15. Howarth and Gamell both died as a result of their wounds.

An indictment for manslaughter was returned against Frank J. Lyons of this city in the case of Henry Kelly, whose dead body was found on Canal street on April 16. Kelly had been crushed to death with a big cobble stone which lay nearby.

## LOWELL WANTS IT

## This City is After Bowling Congress

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Two important meetings are on the card for today—the National Duck and Candle in bowling congress at the American House at 2 p. m., and a gathering at the Elks home, Everett, with representatives from the cities of Everett, Boston, Chelsea, Somerville, Cambridge, Medford, Winthrop and Malden, to make out a schedule for the Elks league. Ex-Mayor Arthur W. Hatch will be president, James W. Bean of Cambridge secretary, and Henry R. Barry treasurer.

The following are the committees: Fitzpatrick of Winthrop, Noyes of Somerville and Cogswell of Medford, rules; Hatch, Bean and Dr. Edward Hamm of Chelsea, schedule; Barry, Noyes and Cogswell, alleys.

The general outlook for the bowling season is brighter than for some years past. Renewed activity in existing organizations, and the launching of many new combinations, are reported. Today's meeting of the national congress will decide the place for holding this year's tournament, the last having been held in Boston. There is some talk of an effort to hold it in Boston, but several other cities also claim the honor, including Lowell, Providence, Worcester and Springfield. They are to send representatives to Boston today with attractive programs to offer.

The old landmark in Boston candlepin bowling was removed last Saturday with the passing of the Adams Square alleys. In their place, however, has arisen the handsome new Boston alleys, an establishment that it is safe to say is one of the finest of the kind in the country. Complete in all its details, it meets a need long felt in bowling circles in Boston, that of an exclusive place where women players, even without escort can play. There is an alley exclusively for women players, and an elaborate lounge room has been fitted in full view of the five alleys, with tables and a piano.

Many applications have been received from clubs and organizations for accommodation.

## GEORGE TOWNS

## Was Defeated for Sculling Championship

LONDON, Oct. 12.—After being held for ten years in Australia, the professional sculling championship of England was won back today by G. Barry of London who easily defeated E. Barry of Australia by a length and a half over the Putney-Mortlake course of four and a quarter miles. The time was 21 minutes and 21 seconds. Barry won a purse of £200.

## CHARTER FIGHT

## First Steps to Test New Act

SALEM, Oct. 12.—The first skirmish in the fight against the realization of government by commission in the city of Haverhill took place here today when Essex S. Abbott and D. J. Linehan, Haverhill, attorneys acting in behalf of Paul H. Graham and nine other citizens of Haverhill, filed a petition in the supreme court here asking for a writ of certiorari and a mandamus to prevent the new commission charter going into effect. The petition is made on the ground that the new commission charter is unconstitutional, inasmuch as it is alleged to deprive the citizens of Haverhill of a right enjoyed by all other citizens of the commonwealth—that of electing public officers.

The petition was forwarded to the supreme court at Boston.

## BEVERIDGE TO SPEAK

RENO, Nev., Oct. 12.—United States Senator Albert Beveridge passed through Reno last night on his way to Salt Lake City, where he is to speak on issues of the campaign. Senator Beveridge was to have spoken in Reno Saturday night but had to abandon his intentions on account of a severe hoarseness and a slight nervous breakdown. Both of these, he says, have disappeared and he describes himself as feeling "bully."

## THREE MEN STABBED

## One of the Victims is Not Expected to Live

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—In a fight between two bodies of Syrians in the South End at 6 o'clock last night three men were stabbed. One of them, Elin Irahwan, aged 21 years, unmarried, of 109 Hudson street is at the City hospital in a dying condition.

His right arm was broken at the elbow and he was stabbed several times in the back and right side. One knife thrust, it is feared, pierced his lungs, causing a hemorrhage.

Three of his alleged assailants were taken to the hospital last evening by officers of the Lagrange street station, but his condition was such that he was unable to identify them. The men under arrest are Antoine Ayesh, aged 22, and George Lewis, Joseph Lewis and Leon Lewis, brothers. The four men live at 54 Hudson street. They are charged with assault and battery with intent to kill.

According to Capt. Dugan, who examined eight witnesses, the fight started on Hudson street in the Syrian colony, close to the corner of Kneeland street. Irahwan and some friends were passing along when suddenly knives were drawn. No one would state what started the fight. The Lewis brothers claimed that Irahwan and his friends were the aggressors.

Stabbed in Hall Way.

In less than two minutes the street was filled with a curious crowd, and in the mixup it was hard to tell who the real combatants were. The fight was continued along Hudson street to Harvard street and thence into Tyler St., where Irahwan ran for protection into the house of George Murray, a Greek, at 77 Tyler street. Some men rushed in after him and he was stabbed in the hallway of the house. His assailants then ran from the house.

Patrolmen Brennan and Wilson rushed to the scene, but at the time couldn't find any one mixed up in the fight, as they had scattered, leaving Irahwan behind. The dying man was hurried to the relief hospital. Then the police, learning that some of the fighters had gone to the Emergency hospital, went there and found George Lewis and Joseph Lewis being treated.

Joseph had a knife wound about four inches long, the fleshy part of the forearm. George was also stabbed in the arm in a similar manner and had another gash about six inches long over his ribs. It required 32 stitches to close the wounds. He was left at the hospital under guard, and Joseph was taken to the station.

## SERIOUSLY INJURED

## Edward Scully Fell Down Stairs in a Local Hotel

Edward Scully, of Pittsfield, Mass., and a delegate to the convention of the state branch of the American Federation of Labor, which is being held in this city, had a narrow escape from being killed at noon today as a result of falling down a flight of stairs at the Merrimack House. He is now at St. John's hospital suffering from a slight concussion of the brain.

Scully was descending the stairs when he made a mis-step and losing his balance fell head foremost to the landing below. The noise of the man falling attracted the attention of several of the attaches of the house who ran to his assistance. Upon finding that he was unconscious they sent for a doctor and the ambulance.

## HAVE RECOVERED

## Americans Were Only Slightly Injured

BERLIN, Oct. 12.—A Holland Forbes and August Post, the American aeronauts who yesterday had such a narrow escape from death when their balloon, the Conqueror, burst in the air at an altitude of 4000 feet, had completely recovered this morning from the effects of their thrilling experiences. Mr. Forbes drove out today and examined what was left of the balloon prior to having it packed for transportation back to New York whether it will be shipped tomorrow. The envelope is torn into five pieces and there are also in it many holes as a result of its contact with roofs.

Although nothing definite has been established, the general opinion is that the accident was caused by the length of the appendix which did not permit the gas to escape with sufficient rapidity as it expanded with ascent. This occurred in spite of the fact that the valve was completely open and the result was the construction of great pressure at the top of the balloon which ended in a break. It was the purpose of the aeronauts by this arrangement to get greater lifting capacity.

Mr. Forbes said today that he had been overwhelmed with inquiries as to his condition and he has received hundreds of cards, letters of congratulations as well as large quantities of flowers. Emperor William has sent one of his personal adjutants to make inquiries and he expressed a desire to meet Mr. Forbes this afternoon. Mr. Forbes probably will go to England, where he will make other ascensions.

## ASSAULT CASE

A continued assault case occupied a little over an hour of the court's time, lasting till 1.30 o'clock. It was a case in which Henry O. Keyes of Westford, was charged with assault and battery upon W. O. Douglas.

The latter is a well known blacksmith of North Chelmsford. A dispute arose over work done by the complainant for the defendant. The bill was for the shoing of horses and the setting of wheel tires for Mr. Keyes, who had delivered wood which he was willing to allow to be credited to payment for all the work that Mr. Douglas had done for him. The latter refused to accept the wood claiming that it was not the kind he ordered. It was alleged that Mr. Keyes while removing a wheel from the blacksmith shop was held back by Mr. Douglas, he holding on to the wheel with the result that his hand was jammed against a post and injured. It was claimed that Mr. Keyes was responsible for the injury which resulted in the arrest and the trial of today. The defendant was fined \$15 and appealed, being ordered in \$300 for his appearance at the superior court. Lawyer Fred Fisher for the defendant and W. H. Wilson for the complainant.

## PRES. CASTRO IMPROVED.

CARACAS, Ven., Oct. 2, via Willemstad, Curacao, Oct. 12.—The health of President Castro shows much improvement. He was seen on the streets of the city for the first time since his return from Valencia. He has discussed with Foreign Minister Paul the answer to be given by Venezuela to the second note from the government of the Netherlands.

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## CATHOLIC NOTES

## Rev. Fr. Kenzel Preached Stirring Sermon at St. Peter's

## Notes From the Services in Other Parishes — Preparations for Boston Parade by the Holy Name Societies

At St. Peter's church last night there was an unusually large congregation at the vesper services augmented by the members of the Lowell Council Knights of Columbus in a body.

Every seat in the spacious edifice was occupied, many being obliged to stand. A very forcible and highly impressive sermon was preached on "Christian Courage" by Rev. Fr. Kenzel, C. S. R., of the mission church of Roxbury. His sermon although quite lengthy held the large congregation in rapt attention throughout its delivery. He asked that every Catholic should be steadfast and courageous in his faith. But first, he pointed out, it was necessary to know that faith, to understand it, from the foundations, straight through its history to its present place in the religious world; to know its forms and ceremonies, and to appreciate them, and then he told us how to have faith, to gain that knowledge and how to hold it. He discussed at some length the courage, real courage, which the individual should not hesitate to exhibit in support of his religion. He talked about the use of profane language, of intoxicating liquor, and of the abuse of body and soul in vice.

"People indulge in the things they ought not," he said, "not because those things are attractive, but because they have not the courage to refuse when asked to take such things." Next the eloquent preacher gave several illustrations, one of which, concerning a body of mill workers in a New York town, was particularly interesting as an example of the results of missionary work. That body of workers, upon hearing a missionary sermon by Rev. Fr. Kenzel, had decided to stop utterly in their shop the use of profanity, either among themselves or those of other faith. When Rev. Fr.

Kenzel returned two years later, he learned that the workers had accomplished their purpose absolutely, and more. During the discussion of his topic Rev. Fr. Kenzel took up and explained many of the intricacies of the faith. His talk on moral purity was undoubtedly thoroughly appreciated by his audience, on which it left a deep impression. Following the sermon the distinguished clergyman left Lowell for Boston.

**Immaculate Conception Church**  
At the Immaculate Conception church with great solemnity the feast of the Maternity of the Blessed Virgin was observed. At 10:30 o'clock high mass was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Fr. McKory, O. M. I. The sermon was preached by Rev. John Flynn, O. M. I., and it was a very able one, "The Sanctity of the Church." Both at the high mass and the vesper service the observance was marked by the excellent rendition of the hymn "Mother of Christ," by Mrs. Hugh Walker. The mass sung by the choir was Henri Blas's in D minor, one of those on the approved list of the Boston archdiocesan musical commission. At the offertory, Miss Catherine L. Mullin sang a Salve Regina.

**Sacred Heart Church**  
At the 8 o'clock mass at the Sacred Heart church yesterday morning the Holy Name society of the parish received holy communion in a body. Mass was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Fr. McKory, O. M. I., who was assisted by Rev. John O'Brien, O. M. I., in giving communion. The organization turned out in full ranks. The usual breakfast following communion was omitted and instead a smoke talk will be held tomorrow night in the Sacred Heart school hall which will be addressed by Prof. Hugh J. Molloy.

## GRIMESY, ME BOY

## Is After Presidency of Senate

Hon. James W. Grimes of Reading, was nominated for senator at the seventh senatorial convention held in Reading Saturday, and he forthwith announced himself a candidate for the presidency of the senate.

The convention was entitled to 37 delegates, of whom 35 put in an appearance and there were oratory and enthusiasm galore.

George W. Poore of Lowell called to order and was made temporary chairman. A. S. Carleton of Lynn was chosen secretary. After the usual preliminary business Charles A. Kimball of Littleton placed the name of Senator Grimes before the convention while seconding speeches were made by Rev. F. W. Hummel of Reading and ex-Rep. F. P. Bennett of Saugus.

Sensor Grimes was escorted to the platform and in his speech of acceptance announced his candidacy for presidency.

On motion of Col. A. M. Chadwick, Alonzo G. Walsh was chosen member of the state central committee. A. C. Blaisdell of Tewksbury, C. H. Conant of Lowell and D. C. Harris, as a committee reported a list for district committee as follows: George W. Poore, C. H. Conant, Red. Roper and Walter E. Murkland of Lowell; Wm. R. Somers, Frank E. Davis, Geo. F. Harwood and Albert S. Carleton of Lynn; R. P. Wichter, Saugus; Sherman H. Fletcher, Westford; Charles H. Wood, Bedford; A. C. Blaisdell, Tewksbury; Daniel G. Houghton, Littleton; Charles E. Brown, Reading; Albert Littlefield, Boxboro; B. F. Blaisdell, Carlisle; Alonzo Penny, Acton. They were duly elected. The convention adjourned and a social hour followed.

It is beginning to look like a "leave him to me" affair between Messrs. Casey and Pearson.

Messrs. Cummings and Casey attracted some attention standing yesterday beside in Merrimack square yesterday noon. They both wore hats that look as though Chicago would pull off the world's championship.

Edward P. McLaughlin, the well known elector of the Lowell Electric factory is being urged by his friends to become a candidate for the common council in ward six. Mr. McLaughlin brought a new industry to Lowell over 15 years ago and has resided in Centralville since coming here, and is a substantial tax payer. His home was in the city of Lowell, where he was a neighbor of three of the city's celebrated sons, Ex-Gov. Bates, Judge Simmons and the Hon. "Dyke" Leary, chairman and man-of-the-hour.

The battle for city physician will be resumed in the common council tomorrow evening and the wisecracks over that if Dr. Smith can prevail upon the lower branch to send his name up the upper branch will accept it all. Dr. Johnson said that he was a man who had ever been a merry man who ever had the "Dr." before his name, veterinarians in the present context; emphasizing the fact that a voter who ever in-

## CUT HER ARM

## THREE YEAR OLD GIRL WAS PAINFULLY INJURED

Sophia Deg, aged three years, fell and cut her right arm with glass which was lying on the sidewalk yesterday afternoon about two o'clock. She was taken to St. John's hospital where her wound was dressed. She lives with her parents at 54 Livingston street.

## NEW ORPHANAGE

## WILL BE OPENED TO RECEIVE CHILDREN THURSDAY

The French-American orphanage in Pawtucket street will be opened to receive children next Thursday. Accommodations are ready for 85 and an equal number of boys and girls will be admitted up to that figure.

## 75 YEARS OLD

## MRS. CHOQUETTE OBSERVES ANNIVERSARY OF HER BIRTH

Mrs. Jeremiah Choquette observed the 75th anniversary of her birth yesterday at the home of Mrs. Marcel Hebert of 776 Maple street. The affair took the form of a reunion, for present at the home yesterday were nine children and 28 grandchildren.

During the day an excellent dinner was served and a general good time was had and Mrs. Choquette was the recipient of many useful presents.

Mrs. Choquette was born in St. Valentin, Que., on Oct. 11, 1833. She had 11 children, nine of whom are living. She has lived in Lowell for 40 years. Her husband, the late Jeremiah Choquette, Sr., dying in this city eight years ago. Her maiden name was Colma Patenaude, and she was one of that remarkable Patenaude family of 29 children, of whom Albert Patenaude was the father. Albert Patenaude died in this city 24 years ago at the age of 90, and Mrs. Choquette feels sanguine of attaining the same number of years. All of the family are long-lived and of remarkably rugged constitution. The oldest, Hilarie Patenaude of Montreal, is now 96. The bulk of the family have never been known to take a vacation, and Mrs. Choquette's father was a veteran of the war of 1812, and she is proud of the fact that four of her brothers fought in the civil war.



MR. HARRIMAN

## Principal in Great Railroad Deal

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 12.—When bankers representing the Harriman interests financed \$1,125,000 in notes of the St. Louis and San Francisco railway, a

deal of far-reaching importance in western railroad circles was brought about. It is regarded in Wall street as no less than an alliance between Edward H. Harriman and the Moore-Wadsworth syndicate and involving the Rock Island, Union Pacific and Southern Pacific railway systems. B. F. Yoakum, chairman of the Rock Island's board of directors, brought about the transaction. The St. Louis and San Francisco is a part of the Rock Island system, and W. H. Moore of the Moore-Wadsworth syndicate is one of its principal owners. The alliance will give the Harriman roads direct connection with St. Louis and Birmingham, Ala.

## REV. C. E. FISHER FOURTH DEGREE

## Discussed the Devil in a Recent Play Exemplified by Knights of Columbus

Those who saw "The Devil," at the Opera House last week and those who didn't go to "The Devil," but wanted to hear about him and who went to the First Universalist church last night were, perhaps, somewhat disappointed.

The pastor, Rev. C. E. Fisher had announced that he would preach on "The Devil." It wasn't the "play devil" that Mr. Fisher aimed at, but the orthodox belief in a personal devil. He said, in part:

"How many really hold the idea of a personal devil? In the book of Zoroaster there appear the forces of good and evil, which as we get them are called God and the devil. Now the book of Zoroaster was a deal nearer the true meaning of God and the devil than is much of the Christian religion today. And yet it is so easy a thing to know that God means good, and that the devil means evil."

"The Christian church has held and does hold that the devil holds more power in this world than the Almighty. I don't, can't believe it. It isn't common sense to believe it. It is equivalent to saying that there is more evil in a man than good, and that the dominant force of the world is the evil force."

"We surely have much of the pagan religion in the Christian religion of today. It is hard to shake it off; the ceremonial and the beliefs taken from other sources than Pagan stick with us. It is as hard as it is to shake off some of our savage instincts."

"The heaven I want to go to is a heaven of love and hope. It is a heaven where I want to know my friends as I have known them here. Isn't that a more sane heaven than that of the gold streets, pearly gates, etc."

"In a Lowell newspaper, last week, an editorial comment on 'The Devil,' the play which appeared here, said, in substance: 'It is not fit to put upon the boards; it is not fit to be taken from beginning to end. I take exception to that comment. I saw the play. The evil in the play is the evil too common in our social life. It is not a far fetched theme; it is a powerful treatment of a subject which is engaging those intimately associated with our moral development. And it fills the play with an index finger on the heads of the two principals in the play and says: 'I am there—indicating the brain. That sums up the devil of our life. It is the evil in our brains, an evil which must be sternly combated if we are to be triumphant.'"

## THE BRIGHAM LECTURES

It is a good sign of the probable success of Nat. M. Brigham's course of illustrated lectures in this city, that there should have been a demand for tickets after one day's advertising. The sale of course and single tickets will open today, at the drug store of Edward Ellingwood, in Merrimack street, and it is apparent that there will be a good advance demand. Mr. Brigham's manager writes enthusiastically from the Southwest, where the former is now lecturing:

"Brigham's lectures in New Mexico have been a success of this city, that there should have been a demand for tickets after one day's advertising. The sale of course and single tickets will open today, at the drug store of Edward Ellingwood, in Merrimack street, and it is apparent that there will be a good advance demand. Mr. Brigham's manager writes enthusiastically from the Southwest, where the former is now lecturing:

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## LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of Jeremiah G. Merrill, late of Dunstable, in said county, deceased: Whereas Henry H. Fisher, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell in said county, on the twentieth day of October, A. D. 1908, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to cause a true and correct copy of the account of his administration to be filed in the said Probate Court, on or before the day of the said Probate Court, and to publish the same in a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Probate Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this notice to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Probate Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of September, 1908, at Lowell, in said county, and clerk of said Court.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Lowell, Mass., Aug. 31st, 1908.

By virtue of an execution issued from the Probate Court of Lowell in said county, in the suit of Patrick F. Welch vs. Della Shea and Timothy Shea, said Patrick F. Welch, I have this day seized and taken and shall sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, on Saturday the 17th day of October, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at my office, Room 3, Hildreth Building in said Lowell, all the right, title and interest which the said Della Shea and Timothy Shea have, solely and jointly, in and to the following described parcel of real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land with the building thereon, situated on Penn Avenue in that part of Lowell called Ayer City and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises in said Penn Avenue at a point distant from a stone bound at the junction of the southerly line of Plain Street with the easterly line of said Penn Avenue 55.50 feet; thence northeasterly along said line of land 100 feet to the corner of said Penn Avenue and said Plain Street; thence southerly along said line of land 100 feet to the corner of said Penn Avenue and said Plain Street; thence westerly along said line of land 100 feet to the corner of said Penn Avenue and said Plain Street; thence northerly along said line of land 100 feet to the corner of said Penn Avenue and said Plain Street; thence easterly along said line of land 100 feet to the corner of said Penn Avenue and said Plain Street; thence southerly along said line of land 100 feet to the corner of said Penn Avenue and said Plain Street; 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# GOVERNORS CONFER

## Preservation of New England's Resources Was Discussed

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—An official statement regarding the conference of New England governors held Saturday afternoon at the Algonquin club, was given out last night by Frank L. Dean, the secretary of the conference, with the authorization of the governors of Massachusetts, Connecticut, Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine, and the governor-elect of Maine. The statement in part follows:

"For the first time in the history of New England as far as known, the governors of every New England state met in conference at the Algonquin club on Saturday afternoon at the invitation of Governor Guild, and definitely decided upon the program for the coming conference on the preservation of New England's resources. There is a peculiar bond which unites the New England states not only in community of aspiration but even in material interests. Though the experiment was somewhat sensational, the conference of governors brought out a most remarkable harmony of feeling and in every case the details of the program adopted met with unanimous approval. It was generally agreed that there were great possibilities of advantage to the entire section.

"The representation of the various states was confirmed as follows: 'That the governors should themselves participate in it and should invite as members the lieutenant-governors, the attorney general, the presidents of New England societies, and speakers of New England houses of representatives, together with the members of congress and senators from New England.' To those official members of the conference it was decided that the governors of the different states should add prominent citizens representing the various walks of life to the number of two for each representative in congress and two for each senator from New England states.

"It was decided that if anything was to be accomplished, the subjects of discussion must of necessity be rigidly

restricted. The three topics of discussion for this, the first conference of its kind, will be tree planting, the protection of shell fish and the construction and maintenance of state highways, together with the regulation and taxation of automobiles.

"Tree planting will occupy the attention of the conference on the first day, the protection of lobsters, clams and other shell fish on the second day, and the construction and maintenance of highways, with the possibility of uniform regulation and taxation of automobiles, on the third day. In each case expert specialists are to be invited by the governors to address the meeting. It is expected that a discussion which will be restricted to the accredited delegates will follow.

"In regard to tree planting, the experts invited will not merely discuss the planting of forest trees and the extension of forest tracts, but also attention will be given to the planting of fruit trees and the extension and improvement of New England orchards.

"It was discovered that the widest discrepancy exists in the state laws of New England in regard to shell fish, particularly lobsters. The difference of law in the various states will be made clear and experts of international reputation will be asked to establish, if possible, a uniform policy for the regulation and extension of this important source of food supply.

"On the third day attention will be given not merely to methods of construction and materials of road building, but particularly to the establishment of interstate trunk lines of thoroughfares, running logical and carefully prepared routes from one great center of New England to another and to the cohesiveness of this section.

"The widest difference of state laws in regard to automobiles and even in regard to the principles of their regulation, will be pointed out. It is hoped, among other things, that a uniform method of automobile regulation, if not of taxation, may be adopted for all New England.

All of these meetings will be thrown open to the public.

# FOUND IN RUINS

## The Bones of Five Bodies Recovered

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 12.—The bones of five bodies were unearthed yesterday by the workmen who are overhauling the ruins of the elevator. None of these can be identified, but other bones which were found on the Canadian Pacific railroad tracks are supposed to be those of Mrs. Jefferson, one of the victims who was walking there at the time of the explosion.

The railroad company had a gang of nearly 50 men at work upon the ruins yesterday, and a stream of water was pouring steadily upon the flames all day. It made little impression upon the fire, which gradually burned itself out. A rain Saturday night checked the fire materially and made the possibility of the flames spreading more remote.

Solemn and impressive services were held in the Protestant churches yesterday in memory of the missing Protestant dead, and in the Catholic churches for those of that church.

# POTTS DEAD

## HE WAS INJURED DURING A FOOT-BALL GAME

CANNONSBURG, Pa., Oct. 12.—William M. Potts, the football player who was injured in a game here on October 3, died yesterday, after having been unconscious since last Monday. He was seized with convulsions for the second time Saturday and an operation brought no relief.

Potts, who was 21 years old, played on the Scholastic team. During a game with the High school eleven he was kicked on the head.

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# SELECTMEN CALLED TO COURT

## Selectmen Charged With Receiving More Than Salaries

METHUEN, Oct. 12.—Considerable of a sensation was created Saturday afternoon when Sheriff Abbott of Lawrence served summonses on selectmen M. F. Emerson, Henry N. Hall and Samuel Rushon and Town Treas. J. S. Howe to appear in court at Salem today. Treas. Howe stated that Col. Sweeney, counsel for the defendants, had arranged for their appearance Wednesday instead of today.

The selectmen and town treasurer have been summoned into court as a result of a bill filed by a number of citizens, including John Welch, C. H. Hall, Loren O. Norris, Alfred C. Gault, Clinton A. Clark, L. P. Smith, S. K. Nowell, Arthur J. Crosby, and A. E. Heald, for an injunction to prevent the selectmen from drawing any more salaries and to prevent Town Treas. Howe from paying them any more money. The bill also asks that Mr. Howe pay back to the town all over \$400 that he has paid to each of the selectmen.

At a town meeting last March it was voted to employ a clerk to the selectmen at \$800 a year. It was also voted that the selectmen be paid \$400 each for the performance of the duties of selectmen and assessors. It is now claimed that the selectmen have drawn orders for their salaries in excess of this amount and that they have been paid by the town treasurer.

There is a law that assessors shall be paid \$3.50 for a day's work and it is said that the selectmen were informed after the vote of the town last spring that if they desired they could draw the \$400 for their services as selectmen and collect \$3.50 a day for the time they worked at assessing.

Town Treasurer Howe yesterday said that the by-law providing that he should not pay out any money in excess of the appropriations was a hard one to contend with. The selectmen draw all orders and keep the town books, he said, so that he has no means of knowing whether or not the appropriations are being exceeded. The orders for their salaries had come along as usual to him and he had paid them. Mr. Howe, as well as the selectmen, is considerably wrought up over the matter. The action to reduce the salaries of the selectmen was taken after they were duly elected last spring, and at the time many citizens claimed it was an unfair proceeding.

Others, however, claimed that if the selectmen did not want to submit to it they had the opportunity to resign. The attempt to secure an injunction will probably result in a general controversy over town affairs, as many of the townspeople approve of the action of the plaintiffs, and many others are in sympathy with the selectmen.

# GREAT STRUGGLE BAD FIRE SCARE

## Men Fought 535 Feet Above River

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Atop the great iron tower at the Brooklyn end of the Williamsburg bridge a thrilling struggle occurred yesterday while hundreds of persons looked on from below. An insane man who had eluded the tower watchman, climbed an iron stairway to the tower, 535 feet above the East river, and was preparing to leap into the river when two policemen climbed up after him. The man of the blueprints with a razor and then on the narrow footing at the dizzy height a ten-minute fight took place which held all who witnessed it speechless with horror. The trio were swaying on the verge of destruction, and now back on the center of the small platform before the man was overpowered. Then he was handcuffed to a policeman and taken, still struggling, down the lower ladders.

At the eastern district hospital the prisoner gave his name as Joseph P. Brodsky. He was placed in a padded cell.

# A PROTEST

## SENT TO OFFICIALS OF N. Y. N. H. & H.

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Between 400 and 500 conductors and trainmen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad held an indignation meeting yesterday and framed a protest to be forwarded to the officials of the road against conductors being compelled to work on both passenger and freight trains. It was claimed the organization's agreement with the road provided for separation of passenger and freight conductors and that the mixing of the two was dangerous and compelled longer hours and less compensation.

# \$20,000 LOSS

## BIG BOBBIN MILL WAS DESTROYED BY FIRE

LISBON, N. H., Oct. 12.—The James S. Moore Bobbin and Peg mill, with a large quantity of manufactured stock, was practically destroyed by fire yesterday, causing a loss of \$20,000. The plant was insured for \$50,000. Thirty hands were thrown out of work.

# THE AWARDS

## For Exhibits at the Tuberculosis Congress

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Awards to successful competitors participating in the great exhibition which formed a vital part of the recent international congress of tuberculosis, were announced yesterday by Dr. John S. Fulton, secretary-general of the congress, and Dr. Henry Boyer, chairman of the committee on exhibition, in a report to Dr. Lawrence F. Flick, chairman of the board of judges, consisting of Dr. Elmer E. Brown, United States commissioner of education as president; Dr. Frank T. Fulton, of Providence, R. I., as secretary; and twelve committee members.

The Brompton hospital, London, won the \$1000 prize, for the best exhibit of a hospital for the treatment of advanced pulmonary tuberculosis, and gold medals were awarded to the Loomis sanitarium, Liberty, N. Y., and the Massachusetts state hospital, Tewksbury, Mass.

New York won the gold medal for the best exhibit in the states. The Massachusetts state hospital, Tewksbury, Mass., won the gold medal for the best exhibit in the states.

Special gold medal awards for various kinds of work in the campaign against tuberculosis were made, including one to the Massachusetts state committee of the congress.

**THE FRALMA CLUB**  
The Fralma club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Secretary Mahon in Manchester street. Considerable business of importance was transacted and it was voted to hold the next meeting at the home of Frank Doherty in Penn avenue.

After the meeting the members enjoyed a daily luncheon. Miss Margaret Mahon presided. After luncheon the following program was carried out: Piano solo, Frank Rogers and J. Mahan; song, "King of the Winds," Fralma club quartet, consisting of Messrs. Winn, Doherty, Mullin and La-Jeunesse. Acting President Doherty spoke ably on "The Club of Clubs."

# BOY FOUND DEAD

## Lowell Lad Died in a Barn

FALL RIVER, Oct. 12.—A bank book on a Lowell institution which bore the name of Royal B. Phelps was found on the body of a 11-year-old boy found dead in the barn of Medical Examiner Thomas P. Gurney yesterday.

The young hostler came here three weeks ago, and upon entering the physician's employ gave the name of Edward Sands. When he retired Saturday night he was apparently in good health. Death was due to an attack of heart disease.

# IN MEMORIAM

## APPRECIATIVE MEMORIAL OF FANNIE MARIA CLARK 1850-1908.

Shortly after daybreak on Monday, Oct. 5, 1908, as the rising sun was slowly dispelling the thick mists which lay like a pall over the land, the spirit of a noble woman, freed from its earthly dwelling place, passed into that realm beyond, which though invisible is none the less real. Long years of association with Miss Clark led me to respect and appreciate her, and to realize the strong influence of an unassuming, devoted life. I feel that that life should be more widely known; that its simplicity, its purity, and its wholesomeness should be recognized; and that the memory of a devoted teacher should ever be held in loving remembrance.

Born of a sturdy New England ancestry, reared in a Christian home where the daily reading of the Bible and family prayer were but the outward symbols of a deep spirituality, trained to service in the church, educated in the common schools, Miss Clark grew to womanhood, and entered upon her life work with earnestness, enthusiasm, and faith. How well for thirty-four years she performed that work in this city, with what thoroughness and determination she pursued her allotted tasks with what patience and persistence she labored at her desk long after the school day was ended, are but little known except to those with whom she was intimately associated. Stern and uncompromising in all her dealings, she swayed neither to the right nor to the left in the performance of her duty. Yet underneath this strict observance of the law lay a heart as tender as a mother's love, and a spirit as gentle and forgiving as that of a loving child. Charitable in her judgments, temperate in her speech, she stored no malice in her heart.

Miss Clark was always cheerful and happy, ever looking on the bright side of things, and never complaining of the hardships of her work, though, as I know, her burdens were often many. An hour before her death she made her sister a cheerful "Good morning," as she entered the sick chamber, and I know that had her friends been privileged to say to Miss Clark their last farewell, she would have said: "Say not good night," but in some brighter dawn.

"Bid me Good morning." Many of Miss Clark's former pupils, now men and women grown, have told me of the debt they owed to her for her thorough and rigorous instruction, and have brought their children to school with the request that they be assigned to her room. Mindful of her straightforwardness, earnestness, conscientiousness and cheerfulness, I would write as her epitaph:

Fannie Maria Clark  
A Faithful, Christian Teacher.  
Oct. 12, 1908.  
Highland School,  
Charles W. Morey.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

# MANY INJURED

## Riot Followed Attack on Strike Breaker

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—A number of persons were injured and windows at the Hotel Knickerbocker on Broadway were broken last night in a riot which followed an attack made on Albert Lind, a strike-breaking chauffeur, employed by the New York Taxi-cab company. A crowd of 500 persons, sympathizers with the striking chauffeurs, hurled stones, sticks and other missiles at the chauffeur, who took refuge in the doorway of the hotel. The taxi-cab was wrecked and three windows of the main dining room of the hotel were shattered. The guests of the Knickerbocker fled from the room in panic.

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was telegraphed all along the route  
yesterday to look out for the couple.

# SHOT IN FACE

## HUNTER THOUGHT THAT BOY WAS A SQUIRREL

LEWISTON, Me., Oct. 12.—As a result of being mistaken for a squirrel, Thomas McBride, aged 16 years, is lying in a critical condition at the Central Maine hospital in this city, where the physicians said last night they feared he would lose the sight of both eyes. McBride, with Adjutor Rogers, 17 years, was squirrel hunting Saturday near the South River road, when he climbed a tree to frighten a squirrel. When the branches moved Rogers mistook McBride's foot for the squirrel and fired, the charge of shot striking McBride in the face and upper part of the body.

# COUPLE GONE

## IT IS BELIEVED THAT THEY HAVE ELOPED

WORCESTER, Oct. 12.—Upon complaint of Frank E. Wilson, of Low-  
arth's Village, Oxford, and Mrs. Charles H. Stanley of Oxford, Officers Fortin and Bodard of Oxford came to Worcester and were successful in tracing Charles H. Stanley and Mrs. Frank E. Wilson, who are believed to have eloped in an automobile Saturday.

Word was telephoned to the Worcester police, but they failed to head off the couple.

The Oxford officers believe the couple

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## TRAMPS AND THEIR EVOLUTION.

The Sun has been looking into the matter of boy tramps and has obtained some valuable information from that popular publication, *Charities*, published in New York.

The question of tramps is one of more importance than is generally supposed and volumes might be written upon the evolution of the genus homo. To go to the bottom of the question would involve a discussion of political economy, of criminology, of industrial training, factory life, trusts, tariff, intemperance, the opposition now directed at the apprentice system and many other subjects directly or indirectly affecting the ability of a boy to learn a trade by which he can make a comfortable living. To lessen the number of tramps we must remove the causes that lead men to take to the road. We must especially endeavor to prevent boys taking to the road.

Most people, we surmise, would be amazed were it possible to learn how many boy tramps there are upon the "road." Though there are no figures, some very significant facts have recently been brought out by Arthur P. Towne, Albany, New York, who reported to the state conference of charities and correction that the majority of arrests on the New York Central, between New York and Albany, during the summer of 1907, were of boys between seven and twenty years of age. Set this statement, which is paralleled on other roads, side by side with the phrase, "Once a tramp always a tramp," and many things can be prophesied.

We have recently had a striking case of juvenile vagrancy before the local police court and these cases are not uncommon. This habit of jumping trains, leaving work or home, is getting to be a very serious matter. Our vagrancy laws are often lax or indefinite, and not always enforced. Young tramps report that while on some roads the railroad police are active, on others, trunk lines especially, transportation even for long distances is easy. Short or suspended sentences have little terror for the boy tramp, and to have been in jail is often deemed a mark of honor, a sign that the boy tramp is progressing. If the boy had a trade he would never take to the road for any prolonged period.

Superintendent Franklin H. Briggs of the New York Industrial school says that easy access to railroad yards and freight cars is the most largely contributing cause of juvenile delinquency he knows. William R. George of the George Junior Republic says that train-jumping is one of the greatest causes of crime. "There are few tramps who have not started out on their careers by stealing rides when they were boys." And other specialists confirm these statements. There is obviously a clear duty here. In every way the boy should be prevented from hitting the "road." The reduction of vagrancy may be brought about in at least two ways. We may endeavor to cause a stricter enforcement of our laws. We may build farm colonies, we may apply the best principles of modern charity to the cure of the individual vagrant temperament. But far better will it be to prevent the boy from becoming a tramp in the first place.

Therefore, our courts should take particular cognizance of the grievous danger in which boys are, who are arraigned for the often trivial appearing offense of train riding or ride stealing. We must not be too lenient with these boys, on the easy-going assumption that they have been merely committing a prank. A perusal of Josiah Flint, or of Jack London's picturesque stories, or the statistics of reformatories and reform schools, will shed valuable light on this subject.

The probation system is most excellent in its working out with boys who have their homes in the cities where they are arraigned in court. To put a boy for some months under the supervision of a sympathetic officer, more a friend than a representative of the law, brings generally lasting good results. But for the homeless boy, the boy tramp, whose residence is unknown and who has already been inoculated with the "lure of the road," the reform school is a remedy that, while perhaps bitter at the outset, may save the individual and society later on.

One great shield for all boys against developing the tramp idea is to learn to use their hands in conjunction with their brain in producing something useful. In other words, technical training is the great preventive of tramp evolution. It will prevent it in the boy and in the full grown man. There may come a time in the lives of some boys when they long to see strange places, and with this object they leave home; but if they have a trade they will not go far until they drop into some place where they can earn good wages. There they get acquainted, make friends and get over their desire to travel. Repressive and reformatory measures are good, but preventive are much better, and there is no preventive more effective than to equip every boy with the means of earning a livelihood by a good trade. Manual and technical training would uplift tens of thousands who without it will remain a burden upon the community. It will not only make thrifty, law-abiding citizens, it will increase and diversify our industries and make our prosperity more general and more stable.

## THE CITY PHYSICIAN QUESTION.

After consulting several members of the Board of Charity, we learn that the present city physician, Dr. Foster H. Smith, is giving entire satisfaction, and doing his work well. That being so, we believe it would be wrong to displace him by a man who has just received his medical degree.

If Dr. Smith is to be superseded let it be by a man of recognized professional ability, not by a professional tyro.

The law provides that the inmates at the farm and the victims of accident or other misfortune who may come mangled or maimed to the police

station, shall have free medical or surgical treatment. That of course implies treatment by a man of experience and recognized ability, and it would be an injustice to these people to employ for this purpose a man who has had no experience except that received in the class room.

We do not believe any member of the city council would employ an inexperienced physician to attend his family or himself, and hence he should not vote to have the 400 or 500 people at the city farm dependent upon the services of such a man. Even though these people are poor they are not supposed to be turned over to medical students for experimental purposes.

## SEEN AND HEARD

The many Lowell friends of Miss Saddle Radcliffe, the clever character actress formerly of the Academy of Music stock company, will be interested to learn that she is this season a member of the company which presented "The Life of an Actress" at the Opera House, Friday and Saturday. As may be assumed, Miss Radcliffe is making a big hit with the show, presenting an important character and in that intangible manner that has made her famous among the character actresses of the stock world. Speaking of the Academy players of former seasons, Mr. Lynn Osborne, who played the "heavies" for last year's company, is on the road with Leigh Delacy and played New London last week. Byron Nichols dropped into town a few days ago while en route to Nashua for this year he is manager for Daniel Ryan. Charlie Clark, the well-known comedian, has bought the Knickerbocker stock company and is on the road with it, while John Lyons, of this city, is a member of the company. When in Boston drop in on the Boston theatre stock company with which our old friend John Geary is assistant stage manager and character actor. Donald Meek, formerly of the Academy, is making a big hit with the Castle Square stock company, though it is whispered in stageland that he signed a contract with the Boston Theatre company and then shifted.

## IN LATE FALL

Low, gray clouds, and a cold, drear rain;  
A trickling mist on the windowpane,  
A cheerless wind blowing 'round the eaves,  
And a deepening carpet of sodden leaves,  
And a southward sun  
Tells of summer done,  
With its rich, rare, harvest of golden sheaves.

A chilling frost, and a crisp air keen;  
The sumac glows with a myriad sheen;  
The ripe nuts fall from the branches high,  
And the day dies out with a sob and sigh,  
But the firelit hearth  
Is a scene of mirth  
When shadows are falling athwart the sky.

An evening lamp sheds its mellow glow  
Where children are playing to and fro,  
The world shut out and the home joys in  
Forgot the day and its busy din,  
And the cares of day  
Fast fade away  
When the evening joys of home begin.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

Our National Anthem  
N. Y. Sun: The eminent bandmaster and professor of peace jubilees, Patrick Sarsfield Gilmore, was deeply concerned about this great country's poverty in the matter of a national anthem. Many others have suffered from similar anxiety, and several composers, who never succeeded in writing a successful song, have stepped into the imminent deadly breach with handmade national anthems. These anthems have declined to become national. They have not even become local. They have just faded.



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## Wall Paper

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away, and a heartless government has continued to recognize only one national anthem, "The Star Spangled Banner."

It appears now that Professor William Milligan Sloane, a profound student of history, is dissatisfied with "The Star Spangled Banner," and that he intends to procure for us a new song. Every good American who has tried to sing the present national air will wish him success. Government brass bands on board flagships and at army posts can play it with stirring effect, but for the ordinary unschooled singer it is almost as troublesome as "Killarney."

## PEOPLE OF NOTE

For the first time in the history of the university a blind boy has entered Cornell. His name is William H. Moore, and his home is in Brooklyn. He came to Ithaca with his mother, who guided him around the hill and to the class rooms. He has entered as a freshman in the College of Arts and Sciences, and hopes to be able to take the A. B. degree. Moore for some time has been a student at the New York Institute for the Blind. He has engaged a reader who will assist him in his studies. His work will be carried on by means of raised type. He says that after he has been at Cornell for several weeks and becomes acquainted with the campus he can easily find his way about. He is about 18 years of age, and is reputed to be a bright student.

By invitation of the Ousemequin club the Massachusetts State Federation will hold its annual meeting at Bridgewater on Tuesday, November 3. The meeting will be held in the Congregational church. At the morning session the speaker will be Mrs. Margaret J. Blair, of St. Paul, Minnesota, head of the domestic arts department of the Minnesota State Agricultural school. Her subject will be "Home-Making as an Art." The speaker for the afternoon will be Melville Dewey, president of the Lake Placid club. His subject will be "The Future of Home Economics."

The Rev. Dr. William Douglas Mackenzie, president of the Hartford Theological seminary, is the new England member of the International Sunday School Lesson Committee, and is scheduled to be one of the prominent speakers at the demonstration to be held in Concord, N. H., which is to give an impetus to Sunday school work in and for all New England. On the program, also, will be Marion Lawrence, the general secretary of the committee; Professor H. A. Hamill, D. D., superintendent for teacher training in the Methodist Episcopal church, who has just returned from a six months' trip to Japan and Korea; Rev. Dr. McElfresh, teacher-training superintendent; Mrs. Rayner, the elementary superintendent, and W. N. Harbison.

Yale university will, by the will of Arthur Stedman, by the will of Edmund Clarence Stedman, benefit to the extent of \$2000, should his residuary estate be double that amount. The sum is "to establish a fund in memory of my mother, to be known as the Laura Hyde Woodworth Stedman fund, and the income is to be devoted to the general purposes of the university, the principal thereof is to be kept intact as a separate fund, and need not be separately invested by the treasurer." Should the residue of the estate not amount to \$2000, Yale is to receive half of its net value. The residue goes to Laura Woodworth Stedman, a niece.

The British consul-general at Boston, Captain William Wyndham, retires from public life, and will live in London. Captain Wyndham is sixty-five years old. At the age of eighteen he was a Lieutenant in the Royal Artillery, and was made captain in 1869. He retired in 1876, and four years later he entered the consular service by accepting a post at Jacmel, Hayti. He was appointed consul for the states of Colorado, North and South Dakota, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Wisconsin and Wyoming in 1897. In 1898 the territory of Oklahoma and Indian Territory were added to Captain Wyndham's district. After his transfer to Boston he held the consular posts of the states of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont and Massachusetts. Great Britain has only two consul-generals in this country—one at New York and the other at Boston.

A remarkable series of ascents, some of them the most difficult in the Alps, has been made by a young Dutch girl, Mlle. Henriette Nivel, aged 14, who recently climbed the Matterhorn and



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Mont Blanc. Accompanied by the guides Couttel and Hoffman, she has since again ascended to the Vaillet observatory to visit the Russian astronomer, M. Stephanik. Mlle. Nivel's other climbs are: Grande Charnoz, 11,290 feet; Aiguille du Grand, 13,165 feet; Aiguille du Petit, 9,330 feet—all difficult ascents—and a number of less important peaks.

During the past summer some extraordinary climbing feats have been accomplished in the Mont Blanc district by children and dogs. George Fay, a French lad of seven, accompanied by his father and grandfather, aged 62, crossed the Me de Glace and Mauvais Pas—where a Parisian lady was killed a few days before—the next day, always unaided, mounted to the top of the Brevent, 9,330 feet. Louis Venard, aged eight, and his sister Bertha, aged nine, accompanied by the guide Ravanel, climbed to the summit of the Aiguille de l'In and the Petite Charnoz, 9,300 feet high respectively. A young Parisian lady, Mlle. E. Obichne, probably hearing of the exploit of the young St. Bernard dog which ascended Mt. Blanc in search of its master, took her terrier with her when she made the ascent of that mountain. The terrier seemed to enjoy the climb and was not fatigued, eating a good champagne lunch on the summit with his mistress.

## LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

A return engagement of the sensational melodrama, "The Millionaire's Revenge," will be played at the Opera House this afternoon and evening. This play, which was seen here last season, playing to a popular business ever done here by a famous Thaw-White tragedy, and was written by Hal Reid, one of the most successful writers of melodramas, which is in itself a guarantee of excellent treatment of the subject. Perhaps one of the most interesting scenes in the play is in the first act, the supper scene at which the artist's model is brought to the banquet table in a huge pile which on being cut releases the beautiful figure of the girl surrounded by dots. The company engaged to present this play this season is in every respect as good as that of last season and includes in the cast, Frank T. Charlton, who will be seen in the character of "Diamond Daw," the young millionaire. A complete scenic production is promised.

## MARIE DORO

One of the earliest and most substantial successes of the existing theatrical season has been achieved by Marie Doro, now in her second season as a star under the banner of Charles Frohman, in "The Richest Girl," a new comedy in four acts by Gault and Morton, authors of "My Wife." In this success Miss Doro's winsome, fascinating personality plays a large part, for the role of "Benjamin Mennier," the chocolate girl, favored and wilful daughter of the chocolate king of France, she brings many of these quaint qualities which were earlier disclosed by her as "Carlotta," in "The Morals of Marcus," and as "Clarice," in the Gillette comedy of that title. "The Richest Girl," which has been given presentation by Mr. Frohman in this country prior to its introduction in the Gallic capital, where

it had its inception, is a comedy of particularly bright and amusing dialogue, with an abundance of comic situations which demand light and happy treatment by the players. Among those who will be seen with Miss Doro in "The Richest Girl," when it is presented at



MARIE DORO.  
In the New Success, "The Richest Girl."

The Opera House tomorrow night, will be Orrin Johnson, especially engaged, Louis E. Mares, Frederic Eric, Frank Butlick, Fred Tilden, Desmond Kelley, Beatrice Moreland and Anne Meredith.

## FRANK LALOR

There is no abatement in the demand for seats for Frank Lalor's appearance at the Opera House, next Wednesday, matinee and night, in the musical comedy "Prince Humbug." Ever since the solo opened Saturday morning there has been an almost constant line of purchasers at the box office, and there is now little doubt that the popular comedian and his great organization will be greeted by as many people as can be crowded within the four walls of the house. Knowledge seems to be general that this will be a performance of unusual brilliancy, and this fact, supplemented by Mr. Lalor's splendid standing in the city as a comedian, fully warrants the interest which has been manifested. It will be recalled by those who attended the very first performance which Mr. Lalor gave of his earlier success, "Coming Thru the Eye," that the house was packed to the rafters. Upon his first return engagement, however, people were turned away and on every succeeding announcement of his coming, the house was sold solidly in advance. It is to be hoped that the comedian's growing reputation at this time will be marked by the same crowds with which his fine abilities were complimented during all of the recent engagements in "Coming Thru the Eye." Inasmuch as arrangements are now being perfected for a one-act play, the sketch has a strong dramatic interest, and the dialogue teems with brilliant epigrammatic wit. Mr. Kendall's conception of the Satanic character is a most artistic and polished piece of acting, and Mr. Gordon, as Kellar, the artist, and Miss Fisher, as Mme. Vera Starik, give him admirable support. Gray and Graham, "The Musical Bed," and the "Military Maid," are a pair of instrumentalists whose act gets away from all the others in its originality and cleverness. The man's burlesque of the Scotch Highlander character is execrably funny, while the woman is a

skilful performer on the latest saxophone in the world. Charles Leonard's greatest unquestionably America's greatest impersonator. His impersonations include the famous actors of America and England, and his performance is very high-class and artistic. The Six American Players are a sextet who are unequalled in their repertoire of revues. Three pretty girls and three young men are included, and all of them have won medals for their proficiency in dancing. Their dressing is a feature of the act, as they appear in a marvelous succession of costume changes that are dazzling and bewildering in their brilliancy, contributing a very riot of color as the dancers trip about the stage. A number of intricate and beautiful dances are introduced, and the finale is a solo challenge dance by each member which gives the act a sensational finish. Grit, Washington's favorite, is a feature of the music hall, does a bit of everything in the line of juggling, keeping his audiences convulsed with merriment over his specialties of action, and his running fire of jest. The Barbers' troupe, offer an entertaining medley of singing, dancing and impersonations. Robert's animals, including bears, dogs, and a elephant, come and brought out among the children and please the grown-ups as well. The show closes with a series of the latest moving pictures.

## ACADEMY OF MUSIC

A play never before given in this city, a play full of thrilling incidents, yet with a large share of real comedy, is to be presented at the cosy Academy of Music this week by the Deshon-Pitt Stock company. The title of the drama is "A Girl's Best Friend," and a special effort has been made by Charles D. Pitt to make the stage finer than anything which has yet been put on the boards at the local theatre this season.

The play is southern and tells the love story of a little girl stolen from her Washington home and brought among the "poor white trash" of the Southern mountains. Miss Della Deshon appears as the little waif who grows into beautiful womanhood, a role which calls for the best in the histrionic art. Miss Deshon is quite sure of excellent support. There is, for instance, Victor Browne, who appears as her lover of the mountains. Then there are W. D. Woodson as the sheriff, W. D. Stedman, the villain who goes insane, and Billie Lockaye and Harry Horne in unusually strong comedy parts. Miss Christal Benson has a capital role as "Babe Jackson," while Miss Annie Atty and Miss Mary Part have roles well fitted to their excellent ability.

The play will be given tonight for the first time, and afterwards and evenings during the remainder of the week.

## STAR THEATRE

There are special vaudeville features this week at the Star. Vaudeville peculiarly adapted to the patrons of this house, mostly women and children. There is a strong dramatic picture shown entitled "The Gamblers' Fate," which is intensely interesting from start to finish, and which has a happy ending. There are two roving comedies, the one entitled "Uncle Bull's Bull," is about the best seen for a long time. The songs are "Everybody Loves Me But the One I Love," a select ballad, and Kerry Mill's "Barn Dance" song, which is the newest and best of its class on the market.

The dancing contest on Wednesday night was a pack the house just as the amateurs on Tuesday nights are doing.

## CHANGE OF TIME BEGINNING MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1908.

First car leaves Ayer for North Chelmsford and Lowell at 6.05 a. m., then five minutes past every hour up to and including 10.05 p. m., connecting with cars from Fitchburg and Leominster.

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## SUNDAYS

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# RALLY SUNDAY

## Observed in Several Local Protestant Churches Yesterday

Yesterday was rally day in the Protestant churches and there was a large Sunday school attendance. There were 741 in the First Baptist school and it was a big day at the First Baptist church. Rev. Dr. Wallace addressed the school and five persons were baptized at the evening service. An excellent program was given.

Mrs. W. H. Peplin sang. There were remarks as follows: William Peplin, "Why a boy should go to Sunday school"; Norris Tibbels, "Why a young man should go to Sunday school"; D. J. Cowan, "Why a father should go to Sunday school"; and Deacon William Bass, "Why a grandfather should go to Sunday school."

Highland hall, their temporary meeting place, was the scene, yesterday of the annual rally day services of the Branch Street Baptist Sunday school, and there were 230 present. There were selections by the quartet, words of greeting by Mr. A. F. Pease of the First Baptist Sunday school of Malden, and remarks by Rev. Dr. Wallace.

A pleasing feature of the occasion was the presentation of certificates to those who had won the gold pin in Little's cross and crown system. This pin represented 12 months of perfect attendance

and four officers, nine teachers and 35 pupils won them.

A souvenir was given to each one present which was a pin with the inscription, Branch Street Baptist Sunday School, Rally Day, 1908, and the school motto, "Better work for Christ and more of it."

**First Presbyterian**  
There were tables galore at the First Presbyterian church in Appleton street yesterday. It was a novel service by the Sunday school with a rally of the cradle roll. There were more than forty babies there and the children's choir sang several songs. Rev. J. M. Craig addressed the mothers who were present with their babies, taking as his subject "Mothers' Training."

**Centralville M. E. Church**  
Yesterday was rally day at the Centralville M. E. church and last night the Sunday school held a harvest supper. P. E. Rollins is superintendent of the school and seven children were graduated from the primary department of which Miss Mollie Johnson is the teacher. There was a fine program and the affair was a great success.

## TWO THOUSAND FANS

### Filled Merrimack Square During Ball Game

Two thousand enthusiastic baseball fans were present in Merrimack square Saturday afternoon to listen to the megaphoned returns and see the belting returns of the first game of the post season series between Chicago, winner of the National league pennant, and Detroit, winner of the American league pennant.

The crowd was so large that it was necessary for Sgt. Maguire, Patrolmen Ryan and Burns, assisted by several other officers, to keep constantly on the alert in order to keep the crossings clear and prevent people from obstructing the car traffic.

That the local admirers have taken a great deal of interest in the national game was very evident and considerable money changed hands on the hits, runs and the result of the game. Chicago was the favorite, the betting being about 10 to 7, and while it was thought that Detroit had a fighting chance inasmuch as the game was played on the home grounds when Chicago scored four runs in the third inning, there was a general slump in the Detroit stock and the people who had even taken the short end on Detroit were mourning the loss of their money.

The systematic arrangement provided by The Sun in giving the game in detail to the public was greatly appreciated by the fans and those who were not present in the Square kept The Sun's telephones busy during the afternoon inquiring for the score.

Of course the crowd in the Square



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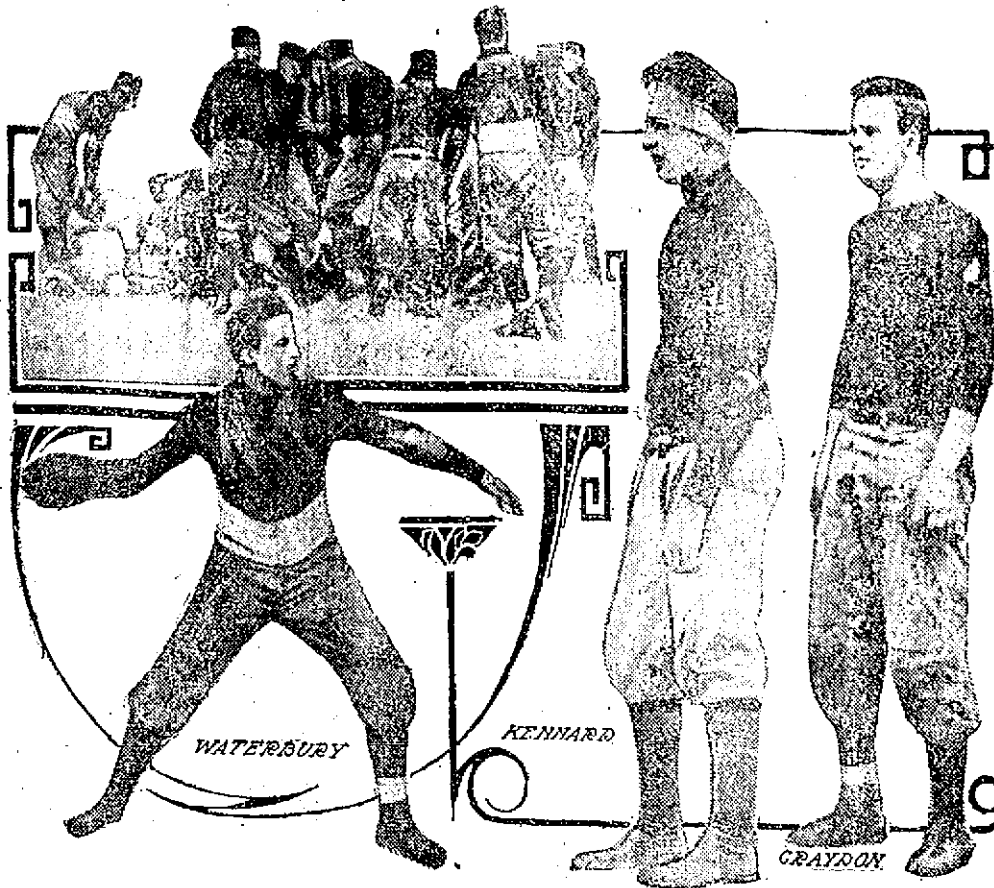
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## HARVARD VARSITY SQUAD AND THREE PLAYERS



CAMBRIDGE, Oct. 12.—Coach Houghton of Harvard put the varsity team to the hardest of tests in preparation for the game with Williams, which was really the first contest which forced the team to extend itself. The varsity squad was driven to its utmost in ten minute whirlwind scrimmages and usually sent the second team flying back toward its own goal posts. Vic Kennard, Graydon and Watersbury distinguished themselves by clever and speedy work. These pictures were taken during recent practice at Cambridge.

## BURGLARS ESCAPE

### They Blew Open Safe but Failed to Get Any Cash

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 12.—Safe crackers made a bold break in the Providence public market, a large-sized branch establishment at 35 and 37 South Main street, yesterday in broad daylight. The break occurred at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The front of the large safe, fronting the street, was blown off, but the crooks hurried away without getting any part of the \$250 in cash which the market had taken in Saturday afternoon and evening.

While the face of the safe was shattered, the inner door of steel stood strong and the robbers were unable to get any part of the large amount of money which they apparently knew was in the vault. The explosion was heavy enough to blow out the front of the brick building and shatter most of the interior.

The tools were left behind, as was also a parcel of gunpowder. The safe had been drilled carefully, but the robbers failed to puncture the inner door of the strong box. Entrance to the market had been easily gained from the rear and the robbers had evidently worked at leisure for quite a time before they blew the safe.

The explosion attracted a large crowd, being in the very center of the business district of the city. The police last night stated there was no clue to the robbers. They evidently got away to the water front as soon as they had realized that the explosion was severe enough to attract general attention.

The explosion of powder set fire to the window curtains and to other inflammable material in the market, and nearby residents rang in the fire alarm. The flames were quickly extinguished. The calling out of the firemen, it is said, added greatly to the escape of the cracksmen.

was divided as regards opinion and when a report favorable to Chicago was given out there was great cheering on the part of the admirers of that team, while on the other hand the admirers of the Detroiters were not slow in expressing their feelings when the Tigers gained a point.

Today's game will be megaphoned and bulletined just as was Saturday's contest.

## WITH RED PAINT

House of Member of Ancients Daubed

MEDFORD, Oct. 12.—Unknown persons with a feeling of hostility against Fred W. Rausholt, of 42 Court street, this city, a member of the Ancient and Honorable artillery company, a former commodore of the South Boston yacht club and a well-known gold leaf manufacturer, daubed the front and sides of his house some time Saturday night with liberal quantities of paint of a brilliant crimson hue, removed the birds on the front and west sides to a back yard an eighth of a mile distant, overturned the dozen large flower urns and tubs and wrecked the grounds about the house generally, giving the place the appearance of having been through a cyclone.

Recent divorce and remarriage are said to be the cause.

**KIRK STREET DAY NURSERY**  
Kirk Street Day Nursery donations for August included the following: Bread twice a week from Friend Bros. bakery; half bushel crab apples from Mrs. Joseph Sargent, Draught; half bushel pears from Mr. Fred N. Wier, Eleventh street; frosted cake, pies and bread from Albert J. Evans, Bridge street; vegetables from the garden of Mrs. Fred Marc, Tewksbury.

The September list is as follows: Vegetables from Mrs. Fred Moore, Tewksbury; fruit from a friend in Woburn; magazines and papers from Mrs. J. L. Clifton; cake and doughnuts from Mrs. Dagdale, 97 Central street; two barrels cake and doughnuts from St. Charron restaurant, 544 Middlesex street; bread twice a week from Friend Bros. bakery; nasturtiums from Mrs. Peabody, Draught; 12 samples malted milk from Dr. Plunkett; load of vegetables, including potatoes, squashes, beets, cabbages, carrots and cauliflower, from North Billerica Baptist church harvest concert, evening; peaches from Mrs. Corliss Smith, East Draught.

**Sealed Proposals**  
For cleaning and painting the library rooms will be received by the trustees of the city library. Specifications may be had at the office of the city librarian. All proposals for the work are to be submitted in writing and left at the office of the city librarian on or before 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, Oct. 17th. The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

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## THE SCHEDULE OF THE A. G. POLLARD CANDLE PIN LEAGUE

The following is a schedule of games to be played in the A. G. Pollard Candle Pin league:

Tuesday, Oct. 13—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.  
Wednesday, Oct. 14—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Tuesday, Oct. 20—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Oct. 21—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Oct. 27—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Oct. 28—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Nov. 2—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.  
Wednesday, Nov. 4—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Tuesday, Nov. 10—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Nov. 11—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Nov. 17—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Nov. 18—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Nov. 24—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.  
Wednesday, Nov. 25—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Tuesday, Dec. 1—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Dec. 2—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Dec. 8—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Dec. 9—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Dec. 15—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.  
Wednesday, Dec. 16—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Tuesday, Dec. 22—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Dec. 30—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Jan. 4—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Jan. 5—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.  
Tuesday, Jan. 11—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.  
Wednesday, Jan. 12—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.  
Tuesday, Jan. 18—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.  
Wednesday, Jan. 19—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.

## BOYS' TENNIS

SOME GOOD MATCHES WERE PLAYED SATURDAY

The boys' tennis tournament, scratch doubles, held Saturday on the Hockmeyer courts resulted in some excellent matches. The attendance of spectators was very large and the various good plays made by the different players were well applauded.

The results of the rounds were as follows:

First round: Joe Meligs and Jack Robertson beat William Reilly and Crosby Wallace, 6-2, 7-5. Norman Brazier and Percy Parker, Jr. beat Truman Safford and Teddy Hobson, 6-3, 6-3. Hildreth Meigs and Roger Eastman beat Ralph Coburn and Victor Hockmeyer, 6-4, 6-4. Fred Church and Clive Hockmeyer beat Roswell Whidden and Henry Sturgis, 6-3, 6-3.

Second round: Meligs and Robertson beat Brazier and Parker, 6-3, 7-5. Church and Hockmeyer beat Meigs and Eastman, 6-2, 6-2.

Final round: Meligs and Robertson beat Church and Hockmeyer, 6-8, 6-2, 6-2.

The winners take the two first cups and the losers the two second cups.

Consolation, first round: Safford and Hobson beat Reilly and Wallace, 6-1, 6-2. Coburn and V. Hockmeyer beat Whidden and Sturgis, 7-5, 7-6.

Final round: Coburn and Hockmeyer beat Safford and Hobson, 6-2, 7-6.

## BOXING GOSSIP

The bouts for the week are:

Tonight—Frank Adams vs. Tommy Rawson, at Salem; Tom Sawyer vs. Bel-Field Watson, at Portland, Me.; George Memie vs. Johnny Thompson, at Racine, Wis.; Eddie Kennedy vs. Fred Broad, at Pittsburg; Young Otto vs. unknown, at New York; Inter-city bouts, Manhattan vs. Brooklyn bouts, at Bedford, N. Y.; Brooklyn: Mike Gannon vs. Johnny Murray, at West End A. C.; Eddie Morse vs. Joe Farmer, at Manhattan A. C., New York.

Tuesday—Joe Costa vs. Kid Murphy, at New York; John Coulon vs. Eddie Doyle and Young McGovern, at Philadelphia; Matty Balowin vs. Kid Sullivan, at New York; Bill McKinnon vs. Bartley Connolly, at Dover, N. H.

Wednesday—Wayne A. C. bouts, at Philadelphia; Joe Turner vs. Frank Lynch, at Washington, D. C.; Johnnie Dohan vs. Harry Scroggs, at Maspeth, N. Y.; Jack Robinson vs. Bill McKinnon, at Lymanville, R. I.

Thursday—Jimmy Gardner vs. Charley Selger, at New York; Young Mack vs. Dummy Decker, at Baltimore bouts at the Broadway A. C. of Philadelphia; Fred Ward vs. Lew Powell, Oakland, Cal.; Young Fred Corbett vs. Charles (Twain) Miller, at Philadelphia.

Friday—Bill McKinnon vs. Chicago Jack Robinson, at Lymanville, R. I.; Jim Stewart vs. Kid McGary, at New York; Joe Walcott vs. Bill Hurley, at North Adams, Mass.; State and Ontario A. C. Philadelphia, all-star shows.

Saturday—Jim Donovan vs. Frank Klaus, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; bouts at the National A. C. of Philadelphia; Mickey Gannon vs. against best man, that can be got.

## POLO LEAGUE

SCHEDULE WAS ADOPTED AT YESTERDAY'S MEETING

WORCESTER, Oct. 12.—The National Roller Polo league met in the Bay State house yesterday and adopted a schedule for the first two weeks of the season which opens October 15.

The transfer of the Waterbury, Conn. team to Salem, Mass. was ratified. The schedule adopted follows:

October 15, Hartford at Bridgeport, New Britain at New Haven, Worcester at Providence, Pawtucket at Fall River.

October 20, Hartford at New Britain, Providence at Pawtucket, Salem at Bridgeport.

October 21, New Britain at Hartford, Fall River at Providence, Brockton at Salem, Pawtucket at Worcester.

October 22, New Haven at Bridgeport, Brockton at Fall River.

October 23, Bridgeport at New Haven, Providence at Salem, Worcester at Pawtucket.

October 24, Bridgeport at Hartford, New Britain at New Haven, Fall River at Worcester, Salem at Providence, Pawtucket at Brockton.

October 25, New Britain at Bridgeport, Hartford at New Haven, Salem at Fall River, Pawtucket at Providence, Worcester at Pawtucket.

October 26, New Haven at Bridgeport, Providence at Fall River.

October 27, New Britain at Hartford, Bridgeport at New Haven, Worcester at Salem, Fall River at Pawtucket.

October 28, Hartford at New Britain, Worcester at Brockton.

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## RODIN'S STATUE

Will be Brought to This City

The American replica celebrated Rodin statue of Whistler, will be placed in Lowell, the birthplace of the great artist. Secretary Harrison S. Morris of the American committee in charge of the statue, sent word to this city to that effect on Saturday.

Representatives of the Lowell Art Association, visited New York during the week and conferred with Joseph Pennell, a member of the international committee in charge of the statue. Half a dozen letters were blotted for the honor, but Lowell had the best claim as the birthplace of Whistler, while the committee guaranteed the amount of money necessary to get the statue here.

This money was solicited here last week and many men desirous of helping the cause, pledged temporary gifts to swell the funds, while others donated permanent gifts.

As usual Frederick Fanning Ayer of New York contributed handsomely and permanently should be sent to the following letter received by the local committee, to wit:

"I am more than pleased to know that you have secured the promises of citizens of Lowell of \$200, to erect a monument to Mr. Whistler. Lowell is justly proud that she has given birth to a great artist, and should do him honor. To secure a genuine work of art for Lowell adds double zest to the enterprise, in which, I doubt not, all Lowell will respond, to the end that the triumph of genius over opposing forces may not be forgotten, but be loyally recorded for the emulation of them that come after."

"Allow me to add the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) to the total you are promised, with the understanding that this amount shall constitute by subscription to said monument outright, no part of which is to be repaid to me hereafter."

"Believe me always,  
Sincerely yours,  
"FREDK F. AYER"

The permanent gifts to the fund including Mr. Ayer's generous offering, aggregate \$700, leaving about \$150 to be raised by popular subscription. All Lowell is invited to subscribe to the fund and any amount will be acceptable. Subscribers should be sent to Arthur T. Safford, 29 Talbot street, treasurer of the Lowell Art Association.

The statue has been described as being "a life-size bronze figure of fame surmounting a boulder, or stone, on the face of which stone appears a medallion portrait of Mr. Whistler, also in bronze."

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## MIDDLESEX CO. A. O. H.

## Held Biennial Convention in This City Yesterday

## 53 Divisions, Represented by 250 Delegates, Took Part in Proceedings—John F. Donnelly of Cambridge is Re-elected County President

The Middlesex county A. O. H. turned out in large numbers at the biennial convention held yesterday in A. O. H. hall, this city, about 250 delegates, representing 53 divisions, being present. The session was one of the most important and enthusiastic in the history of the county organization.

President John F. Donnelly of Cambridge in his opening remarks spoke in part as follows:

County President Donnelly spoke in part as follows:

"Once again after two years we meet in county convention assembled. The past two years have been eventful ones inasmuch as many new ideas advanced at our last convention at East Cambridge, which were hitherto discussed in a theoretical sense, have been put into active practice. We have obeyed the declaration and desires of that convention as manifested in the legislation it achieved, and today we report on the fruits of our labors, and feel that we can be well satisfied with the results accomplished."

The progress of the order in this county both numerically, financially and otherwise has been highly satisfactory. We may not have realized our highest ideals but we have at least made splendid progress in the effort to do so. Our standing as a Catholic fraternal order was never higher. We enjoy the friendship, esteem, confidence and goodwill of the priests, bishops and other prelates of our church to an extent hitherto unknown in our history. They have manifested their interest and concern for our welfare giving us words of kindly encouragement and advice. The eloquent words of approbation and praise uttered from hundreds of pulpits during the past two years is the best evidence of our standing in their confidence and esteem."

Only Pastors as Chaplains

Our Most Reverend Archbishop O'Connell has made a ruling that in the future none but pastors will be appointed to the office of county chaplain, thus depriving this county of the services of our beloved Father Flynn, a fact I know each and every member of the convention will learn with regret."

He is a man of sterling qualities and a priest who was ever honest with his opinions and advice for the best interests of the organization, and ready and willing at all times to go to any part of the county to help build up the order. I personally wish to extend to him my most sincere thanks for the kindly advice and able assistance he has given me many times during the past four years in my endeavor to bring the organization to the highest standard."

The reports of my colleagues on the county board, Brothers Cooney and Gavin, show the financial standing of the order. Both have been thorough and painstaking in discharging the duties of their offices. To them and all other members of our county board, who have so kindly shared the burden of the labors and offered advice on many important matters, and to whom a debt of gratitude is due I wish to personally extend my kindest wishes and assure them that I shall ever remember with great pleasure my associations with them as fellow members of the county board."

## Increase in Membership

In calling your attention to the work accomplished and the results obtained, I beg to return to the various division officers in the county, who have aided us in the task my hearty appreciation of their labors and sacrifices. The work undertaken has been varied in character although including matters of great importance. Notwithstanding the great business depression of the last ten months which affected many of our divisions in different parts of the county I am pleased to report the largest increase in membership made by any county in the state if not in the country. At the last county convention held in East Cambridge there were in good standing 5804 members."

During the past two years we have met with many losses from death in our ranks. Many of our older members, who for years were the standard bearers of the order, building it up to its present prosperous standing, have passed away. Among them our own beloved state secretary, John P. Mahoney of this city, who was ever a sincere Hibernian and an ardent worker in our cause. His genial presence and familiar figure will be missed not alone in this his native city, but in every other locality where the members of our order gather in convention."

I am very much pleased to state that "the stage Irish man" has been almost entirely driven from the American stage except for a few rare instances which show that the evil still exists in a few sections, but our crusade has met with practically complete success. I would recommend that the work undertaken be continued and that our own division when holding entertainments, lectures or smoke talks take care that the programs for these affairs be in such shape as to reflect the highest ideals of our race. A few publishers of comic postal cards still continue to portray ridiculous and offensive caricatures of our people and I would recommend that our members withhold their patronage from stores having for sale these cards and advise their friends to do likewise. It affords me much gratification to be able to pay tribute to my humble efforts that magnificent body of Irish women in this county, who compose the Ladies' auxiliary. Their work in advocating Hibernianism in all parts of the county cannot be too highly commended and their work in the cause of Irish nationality cannot be too highly appreciated. Much good has been done through their assistance and we are due to congratulate ourselves

many reforms to be inaugurated. We believe that at times our members leave themselves open to criticism. Our musical events and division entertainments must always consist of that which is creditable to our people in the highest and most dignified sense of the word. I would recommend that only the beautiful music of our national poets, the songs of our national poets, the eloquence of our orators and the melodies and patriotic airs of America combined with the production of our most classic Irish composers appear on our programs."

At our last national convention at Indianapolis the policy of the organization was adopted and it becomes all good Hibernians to live up to that policy."

Many changes were made in our constitution and it is to be hoped that these changes will prove beneficial to the management of our order. Among the changes adopted was one relative to the representation at the national convention, proposed by your county president, wherein this county is now entitled to twice as many delegates as it has had heretofore."

A noble auxiliary of our order in this state is the Hibernian Insurance, under the corporate title of "The A. O. H. Widows' and Orphans' Fund." While much has been said as regards the introduction of a general plan of insurance into the order throughout the country, owing to the fact that in states where such an organization exists the number of suspensions have been lessened. I find after careful investigation that the plan of insurance as carried on in Massachusetts is far superior to that of other states, its management being carefully guarded by the assistance with the strict laws of the state, which are sufficient to insure the members protection."

The Widows' and Orphans' Fund

has paid out in the last nine years \$150,000. While meeting all obligations on issue of one assessment per month, the fund is also providing a reserve fund, the same being done by the taking of a certain per cent. of all assessments for such purpose. I consider that a more just method of creating the same than that of any fraternal insurance in this state."

By a vote adopted at our last state convention in Lynn the Working Boys' Home has been placed in our charge as a charitable institution to which we should give our attention. In the future all our charity should be devoted to the institution in order that we may do as much for the Home as the division in the southerly part of the state, which has succeeded in giving much help. It would be well also for each division in the state to feel it a credit deserving of every assistance that is in our power to give."

Upon you, brothers, who represent the various divisions throughout the county of Middlesex, will depend the future advancement of the A. O. H. Your intelligence, determination, loyalty and honesty of purpose will, I believe, enable you to carry on the grand work of uniting the scattered members of our race, and thus place the Ancient Order of Hibernians in the forefront of the world's organizations for the elevation of the scattered Irish exiles who have suffered the persecution and the tyranny of centuries can only continue by virtue of the work which must be done by every member of the order in disseminating our principles and teaching them among our people and getting them to affiliate themselves with the A. O. H."

The membership committee reported a membership of 7000 with property valued at \$110,000."

Much of the prosperity of the organization has been due to the untiring efforts of County President Donnelly who has held the office for four years and who was re-elected by acclamation. James O'Sullivan of this city was placed in nomination but Mr. O'Sullivan declined the honor and eloquently supported Mr. Donnelly."

One matter deeply regretted by the convention was the retirement of County Chaplain Rev. John P. Flynn, O. M. I., and it was voted that the incoming county board draw up a set of resolutions expressing the gratitude of the body for the splendid services of the retiring chaplain and its regret that he could not continue longer in the office. Mr. Flynn made an eloquent address as did Rev. Philip O'Donnell of Boston; John J. Rogers of Worcester and State Vice President John Dillon."

The other officers elected were County Vice-President P. J. Mahoney of Malden, Recording Secretary John M. Craig of Natick, Financial Secretary Joseph R. Cooney of Watertown, Treasurer Thomas J. Green of West Newton. All officers elected were installed by State Vice President John Dillon."

Resolutions were adopted embodying many valuable recommendations of the county president, and endorsed the policy of the national convention, held recently. Resolutions were also adopted on the death of State Secretary John P. Mahoney of Lowell."

During the session arrangements were served to the delegates and a vote of thanks was given to the Lowell branch for the hospitality extended the visitors."

Division 5 will hold a regular meeting this evening and Division 11 will meet tomorrow evening."

## LADIES OF CHARITY

Held An Important Meeting Yesterday Afternoon

At St. John's hospital, yesterday afternoon, there was a very largely attended meeting of the "Ladies of Charity" of that institution. It was the initial meeting of the year, the principal business being the election of officers for the ensuing year with the following result:

Mrs. Wm. P. Lawler, president; Mrs. P. Gilbride, first vice-president; Mrs. P. F. Conaton, second vice-president; Rev. Sister Raphael, treasurer; Rev. Sister Alphonsus, corresponding secretary; M. Alice Cox, recording secretary."

The board of directors chosen by the officers was as follows: Mrs. Wm. P. Barry, chairman; Mrs. E. D. Kerwin, Mrs. Charles Keyes, Miss Grace C. Delaney, Mrs. P. F. Devine, Mrs. Hugh Downey, Miss Susan Flynn, Mrs. P. F. Sullivan, Mrs. Mary Dunham, Mrs. Hugh McOsker, Mrs. P. W. Reilly, Miss Louise Drach, Mrs. A. D. Ware, Miss Alice T. Clark, Mrs. A. E. Chase, Mrs. Elizabeth Lang."

The other business transacted was the payment of fees, many generously taking advantage of the opportunity. The invitation from the board of charities to the society to appoint a committee to attend a meeting to be held October 15, to formulate plans to extend the works of charity throughout the city, was read and unanimously accepted by the society. A committee was accordingly appointed to attend the same. The resignation of Miss Rose Dowd, the past president, and Miss Mary Serry, the past corresponding secretary, were read and accepted and a committee appointed to extend to them a vote of thanks for their labors. The meeting then adjourned."

## MAN KILLED

HE WAS MISTAKEN FOR A MOOSE

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 12.—John Richardson, aged 50, was yesterday shot dead by John Chivers, a hunter at Stable River. Richardson had gone into the underbrush to gather firewood and was returning with a log on his shoulders when Chivers, who was moose hunting, mistaking him for one, opened fire. The first two shots lodged in the log which Chivers supposed was the moose and finding they took no effect, he aimed lower. The third shot took effect and Richardson was dying when Chivers, half crazed with grief, reached him."

## FOR NEW CHURCH

## Cornerstone Laid For Primitive Methodist Edifice

The cornerstone of the new Lawrence street Primitive Methodist church was laid Saturday with appropriate ceremony, Rev. N. W. Matthews, pastor of the Gorham street church of the denomination, presiding.

The new church is located in Wigganville where many of its members reside, and the foundation work is practically completed while no time will be lost on the superstructure."

The service of laying the cornerstone was opened at 3 o'clock p. m. by Rev. N. W. Matthews. The pastor of Rev. John T. Ullom, spoke words of greeting; Rev. J. M. Craig, of the First Presbyterian church, invoked the divine blessing, and the hymn, "All hail the Power of Jesus Name," was sung by the choir and congregation."

A responsive reading, Psalm 122, was led by Rev. C. H. Kershaw

and the Christian Endeavor societies, the trustees and building committee, the name of the architect, and names of the workmen employed on the foundation. Also the program of the church edifice on Moore street."

The president of the board of trustees, Thomas E. Wilde, presented Rev. N. W. Matthews the trowel to be used in laying the stone."

In accepting, Mr. Matthews said it gave him peculiar pleasure, because of the fact of his identification with the Primitive Methodist movement in Lowell. The first day of January, will complete the 30th year since he first came to the city and began work in the old Gorham street church."

Mr. Matthews prepared the mortar for the reception of the stone, and the polished cornerstone, bearing the date, "A. D. 1908," was placed in position by the workmen."

Rev. C. H. Kershaw offered prayer, and after the singing of the hymn "How Firm a Foundation," the gathering was dismissed with the benediction."

## NEW OFFICERS

INSTALLED BY THE FRENCH AMERICAN FORESTERS

Court Blanche de Castille, French American Foresters, has elected and installed the following officers for the ensuing term: Chief forester, Miss Agnes Levesque; sub-chief ranger, Miss Eva Leblanc; treasurer, Miss Ida Fortin; financial secretary, Miss Anna Champagne; recording secretary, Miss Alma Mailloche; first guard, Miss Louise Teller; second guard, Miss Angeline McKinnon; first sentinel, Miss Rose Coulombe; second sentinel, Miss Louise Laurence; first trustee, Miss Diana Drouin; second trustee, Miss Victoria Lebel; third trustee, Miss Celine Ouellette; dean, Miss Valentine Goggin."

## LOCAL POLICE

WARNED THAT BURGLARS ARE WORKING IN THE HIGHLANDS.

The local police are on the lookout for burglars who have been operating in the Highlands within the past week. In each case the burglars have been after money, for in nearly every case valuables have been left behind. The following were the houses entered: William G. Gardner, 475 Wilder street; Mrs. Susan M. Andrews, 318 Stevens street; Frank H. Putnam, 12 Marlborough street; and Mrs. Lucy Brennan, 71 Robbins street."

## PONY AUTO RACES

The third of a series of pony automobile races held on the Eleventh street speedway in Cambridge, was pulled off Saturday afternoon and Arthur Isherwood was the winner of the first prize, which was \$1. Junior Eltingwood was the second driver to cross the tape and Gerald Baron third."

## BROKE HIS LEG

In the game between the Y. M. C. E. and Chelsea A. A. Craig, the captain of the Lowell team received a broken leg. He was going through the centre for gains when the players of the visiting team piled on him with the result as above stated."

## HIGH STREET CHURCH

Sermon by Rev. A. C. Ferrin, Pastor

At the High Street Congregational church, Sunday morning, the pastor, Rev. A. C. Ferrin applied the story of Zachariah to modern business and political conditions."

He said that the extortionate methods were used by Zachariah and spoke of the prejudice excited against tax-gatherers by the methods generally in vogue. It was the story of the tax-gatherer of Biblical times brought up to date. The preacher said, in part: "It is just so in politics. Clean, irreplicable men shrink from entering political life because of the odium attached to the career. Even a clean politician finds it difficult to get his due, and for this reason, no doubt, weak men have said, 'It is no use trying, I might as well get all I can out of it. I will get the name and I might as well have the game, too.' This is unfortunate. But the remedy is not in demanding that the public must not be watchful. That would mean the stultification of the public conscience and we have had enough of that. The remedy lies in demanding insistently and persistently honest men in politics, and then in supporting them with our votes and influence when we have gotten them."

"Nothing has done more in this age and country to dull the human conscience than the more responsible for the conflict between labor and capital—the haughtiness of capital and exactions of labor; few things are more responsible for the indifference to the authority of religion, than the attitude among business men that they can divorce business from all questions of moral obligation beyond legal justice. It is an impossible attitude."

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The Catarrh of the head use a teaspoonful of salt and a quarter teaspoonful of borax dissolved in a pint of warm water. Snuff this mixture through the nostrils twice daily and immediate relief is experienced. To cure a constitutional blood remedy must be used. Catarrh and rheumatism are both due to accumulated poisons in the system. These poisons ought to be eliminated through the skin, the bowels and the urinary tract. The following simple home mixture warrants the almost faith as it effectually acts on the kidneys, the bowels and the skin, causing them to resume their functions quickly and properly."

You can mix it at home or have any honest druggist do so. One-half ounce of fluid extract Buchu, one ounce compound fluid Balmwort, and two ounces syrup Sarsaparilla compound. Mix and take a teaspoonful after each meal and one at retiring. Many cases of catarrh, rheumatism, and kidney trouble have already benefited by this treatment and this is the season when nearly every one needs it."

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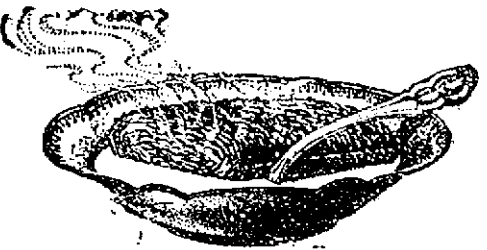
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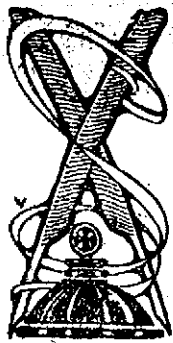
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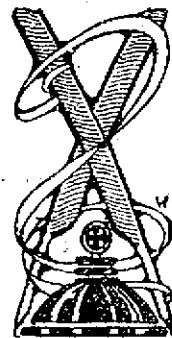
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**Blanche Bates Scores  
In "The Fighting Hope,"**  
Latest Belasco Production—Story of the Emotional Drama



# PLAY NEWS and REVIEWS



**"Father and Son" a  
Flat Failure --- Faver-  
sham In "The World  
and His Wife," With  
Julie Opp ---**

[From Our New York Dramatic Correspondent.]

**D**AVID BELASCO has scored another success with "The Fighting Hope" at the Stuyvesant theater. Blanche Bates appearing in the stellar role.

The author of the play is an unknown personage to the eastern stage, William G. Hurlburt, and, while his production bears various amateurish touches, it must, as a whole, be classed as a decided hit. Just what portion of the success is due to Mr. Belasco it is of course difficult to state, but it may well be assumed that the "wizard" had as much to do with evolving a successful vehicle as the credited author himself.

**Blanche Bates' Acting.**  
"The Fighting Hope" is well staged and acted intelligently by a thoroughly capable company. Miss Bates is equipped with an emotional role that

toward the latter part of the play gives her well devised opportunities to "tear up" the feelings of her auditors after her fashion in "The Darling of the Gods." Miss Bates has never done a better bit of acting than in her present role.

**A Wife and Her Mission.**  
Mr. Hurlburt's play tells a story of a woman who has an unworthy husband. Accused on a criminal charge, she believes him innocent and secures a position as a typewriter in order, as she hopes, to get evidence of the innocence of her children's father.

But her efforts do not turn out in the way the wife and mother expected. Instead she finds evidence that her husband is a guilty man. Later he confronts her, accuses her of infidelity and other things. However, he is shot, and the wife is left to marry again and so to mend a life that otherwise would have been hopeless. Probably there were women in the audience who fervently wished that the opportune shooting of husbands as occurring on the stage might extend to real life.

**The One Big Fault.**  
"The Fighting Hope" has one noticeable fault: the necessary action is delayed. The play might save his fire until, in true Revolutionary style, he can see the whites of the last act's eyes. Of course a suspension of the culmination of a plot is necessary in a play as it is in a novel, but the delay of action must in a play, as in a book, be done skillfully, else the story pall on its followers and fails to hold interest.

"The Fighting Hope" does not sustain the spectator's interest through its opening passages, but the undoubted strength of the latter part in a measure atones for the defect that otherwise might have proved fatal.

Charles Richman, who once aspired to stardom, was effective in support of Miss Bates in a prominent role.

**"Prisoner of Zenda" Revived.**  
James K. Hackett has put on a revival of "The Prisoner of Zenda" at the Hackett theater. Mr. Hackett himself appears in the role dramatization of Anthony Hope's novel, in which he scored a success years ago.

Mr. Hackett's acting has not suffered through his temporary absence from the stage. He played the leading role even better than when he originally gave it.

His voice showed especial improvement as regards flexibility. The romantic drama won a host of admirers in the past and is again winning encouraging support.

The supporting company proved decidedly capable. Brigham Royce as Duke Wolfgang, afterward Black Mitchell; Arthur Hoops as the Earl of Rassenby; afterward Captain Hunt; Carl Ahrendt as Colonel Sapt; Miss Mabel Roebuck as the Princess Flavia and Miss Nina Morris as An-



BEAUTIFUL MARY MANNERING, STARRING IN "GLORIOUS BETSY."

toinette de Mauban were especially commendable.

William Faversham and Julie Opp

known as a stage writer, is the author. Mr. Faversham in the role of a young man found considerable favor. The

play treats of the far-reaching effects of slander on the fortunes of innocent people.

The play violates a rule of modern three act productions in that its climax comes at the very end of the last act.

**Norris in a Failure.**

William Norris has taken a painful tumble in "Father and Son" at the Majestic theater. The play was announced for production and then postponed. Now that it has been put on it seems strange that the postponement should not have lasted forever. Mr. Norris is an excellent actor, one of the best in his field, but no mortal could make the play survive. Edgar Selwyn wrote the "drama."

**"A Gentleman From Mississippi"**

Thomas A. Wise and Douglas Fairbanks are seen in the principal roles of a new play entitled "A Gentleman From Mississippi." They opened at the National theater in Washington.

The play is pretty much of a comedy, with several well planned dramatic situations, and it presents side lights on social and political life in Washington.

**Gertie Millar's Success.**

Gertie Millar and "The Girls of Gottemberg" from London, continue to crowd the big Knickerbocker theater to the doors. It is apparent that Miss Millar will be welcome to remain in New York all this year and that the theater goes during her stay will not soon tire of the jolly music, the songs and pretty little girls in Dutch military costumes that appear at intervals.

Miss Millar herself has grown into an enormous favorite during her stay. Her songs "Mr. Schneider" and "Berlin on the Spree" are enjoyed to the utmost, and Louise Dresser's pleasant song, "Queenie Was There With Her Hair in a Braid," is also one of the hits of the show.

**New Play For Mme. Kalich.**

Harrison Grey Fiske has obtained for Mme. Bertha Kalich's use the coming season a play by Mme. Fred de Gresac, who has written it expressly for the actress.

Mme. de Gresac made a careful study of Mme. Kalich's art last season, and she has created a role that is believed will give opportunity for the illustration of her powers. The scenes of the play are laid in Paris and Switzerland. The story is described as intensely interesting. The chief role, which Mme. Kalich will originate, is that of a fascinating, gifted and impulsive woman who is swayed by the conflicting claims of love and an artistic career. The theme is neither tragic nor gloomy, but the interest is serious.

Unlike most modern French plays, it does not deal in any form with the sex problem or question of morals. The fabric is dramatic, however, and it develops scenes of emotional

strength. The play contains a great deal of comedy of character, the author having drawn some of her material from contemporary bohemian theatrical life in Paris.

Mme. Kalich expresses her pleasure that she is at last to be seen on the American stage in a play that is neither morbid nor gloomy.

**Frederick Truitt**

**McINTYRE AND HEATH.**

McIntyre and Heath will tour in a big musical comedy by H. A. Du Souchet entitled "The Steeplechaser." Messrs. McIntyre and Heath will again appear surrounded by the usual lot of pretty girls and clever dancers. There also will be in the book a serious vein which will give them the opportunity to show their ability as the best interpreters of the southern negro type on the American stage, not only in his lighter and farcical moods, but also in his more serious moments.



ELSIE WILKS IN SHEATH GOWN.

## Football Campaign of 1908 Opens With Loud Noise

**T**HE gridiron season has swooped down like a wolf on the fold, with a dozen big college teams in action, and great is the joyful clamor thereof. Punctured larynxes and busted vocal cords will multiply like the long eared progeny of the Kansas jack rabbit.

Opening games in both the east and west indicate that the men now on trial as candidates for positions in the lineups in the big games of the latter part of the season are in many cases up to the required standard. Therefore the prospects for a season of really high class play are excellent and, as regards two or three teams, actually exceptional.

It was to be expected that the Carlisle Indians would open the season for the big teams. These players are the chief advertising medium of the government school at Carlisle, Pa., and as they have little else to do besides play football they are always in good form weeks before any other prominent eleven. Other college teams that have already played regularly scheduled games are University of Pennsylvania, Brown, Syracuse, Lafayette, Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Cornell, Wesleyan, Chicago, Purdue, Indiana and Michigan universities.

While it is difficult to predict the strength of football teams at this early stage of the year, the reports of conditions at various of the big universities should prove of considerable help.

**At Chicago.**

Coach Stagg's eleven is just now the most feared aggregation in the middle west. The early signs are that Chicago will round into championship form sooner than any of her rivals.

**At Michigan.**

The loss of most of the veterans of last year has plainly discouraged Coach "Hurry Up" Yost. Instead of thirty-five men answering his first call for candidates only thirteen responded. No less than seventeen likely Wolverines were debarr'd from joining Yost's squad because of the faculty's vigorous insistence that failure in studies should disqualify.

On this season's team, not counting Schulz at center, which position is a downright certainty, there are but four men who have had experience. There are Casey, Allerdice, Wasmund and Watkins, all sure of places. Michigan plays six games before Pennsylvania states them. Casey and Wasmund played in five championship games last year as varsity men, Allerdice in four

and Watkins in one, that being in the Pennsy game. Watkins having suddenly developed into a star at that time. Among the newer material is Douglas, a Martinville (Ill.) lad who is showing up strongly for a back field position. Behnbrook, the 210 pound Chicago lad, is now eligible and is being molded for a tackle position.

**At Yale.**

Yale has a strong coaching staff on the ground at New Haven, including George Chadwick, Tripp, Al Sharpe, ex-Captain Biglow and Tad Jones, the great quarterback.

There is a pretty fight on for the quarterback position. The leading candidate now is Hopkins, quarter on the freshman team of last year. He is cool headed, a fast runner and a quick dodger when running back punts. He won the game against the Harvard freshmen last fall. H. P. Bingham, former quarter at Taft school, and J. R. Kilpatrick, former Andover halfback, are also aspirants for the quarterback's job.

This year the line needs strengthening, for of last year's team the only linemen back are Goebel and Cooney, the guards. Goebel is a second class, but Cooney will have to fight for a position in the line this year. Brides will probably be seen at left guard again, and Cooney will try for center.

In Andrus and Hobbs Yale has a pair of tackles who will be exceedingly hard to equal. Hobbs played on Dartmouth, and so when he went to Yale last spring he was temporarily disqualified for the team.

Coy, of course, will play fullback. In practice he has shown that he has lost none of his skill in punting, and, though there has been no scrimmaging, he looks as if he was still able to go through the line.

There is a wealth of material for the halfback positions. Fred Murphy of Westboro is probably the best of the lot and is sure to hold one of the places. For the other the most promising man is Fred Daly, who played four years at Andover and who was captain there. Another promising man

for halfback is H. M. Wheaton, Yale's only drop kicker, who camped all summer in Maine with Daly.

**At Harvard.**

The Harvard followers are jubilant over the large number of men they have from whom to pick their team members. There are fewer candidates for the line than for any other department.

The choice of a first team should not be very difficult for Haughton just

now, so far as the line is concerned. There are Nourse for center, Burr for one guard and McKay, who, by the way, is the likeliest physical specimen on Soldiers' field, for the other guard.

Burr wants to play guard again this year. He did not take to tackle last year, and he never was as strong there as in the place he played on the Harvard team in 1905 and 1906.

The return of Elish, tackle on last year's team, who with Burr represents the veteran element for this

year's team, will provide for the other side of the line. Elish showed streaks of being far above the average linemen, and this, with the coaching he will get this fall, will assure Harvard individual strength on whatever side of the line he plays.

Crowley and Corbett, last year's freshmen ends, with Houston, a substitute in 1907, are the likeliest looking ends; G. G. Brown and Cutler and Sprague stand as the most promising material for quarterback.

The presence of Haughton, Korman and Burr on the field is enough to assure a good kicking department at Cambridge this year. Harvard never has had a scoring goat from the field kicker, but Haughton is one of the very best men Cambridge ever has turned out. He, Korman and Burr also stand out as the best punters Harvard has had for fifteen years.

**At Wisconsin.**

Wisconsin has a coterie of able veterans out for the varsity team in "Jumbo" Steinhilber for center; Messmer, Boyle, Iakish and Murphy, tackles; Lowman and Captain Rogers, ends. Whitaker, subcenter of last year is back, and he may be utilized at fullback. Paulus, a heavy man, looks good at guard. Taken as a whole, Wisconsin's chances appear bright.

**At Princeton.**

The Jerseymen are more confident now than at this early period for several seasons back. For one thing, enough veterans have returned to form a strong nucleus. Princeton is better fixed as regards quarterback than any other big team. Captain Eddie Dillio is a scintillating quarter, a field general par excellence, and his experience will prove of decided benefit to the team.

The Tigers will have a hard time finding a man who can make drop kicks and work the inside kick as Harlan did. But with McCrohan, a slashing line backer who wasn't eligible last year and who is expected to fill McCormick's shoes, the veteran Tibbott, as well as Reed and Dawson, the Princeton back field promises to be a hummer. There is good material for the line in Buckingham, Waller, Siegling, Whaley, McFadyen, Welch and Dowd. To find a center the equal of Phillips and ends of the Wister standard will be a problem difficult to solve.

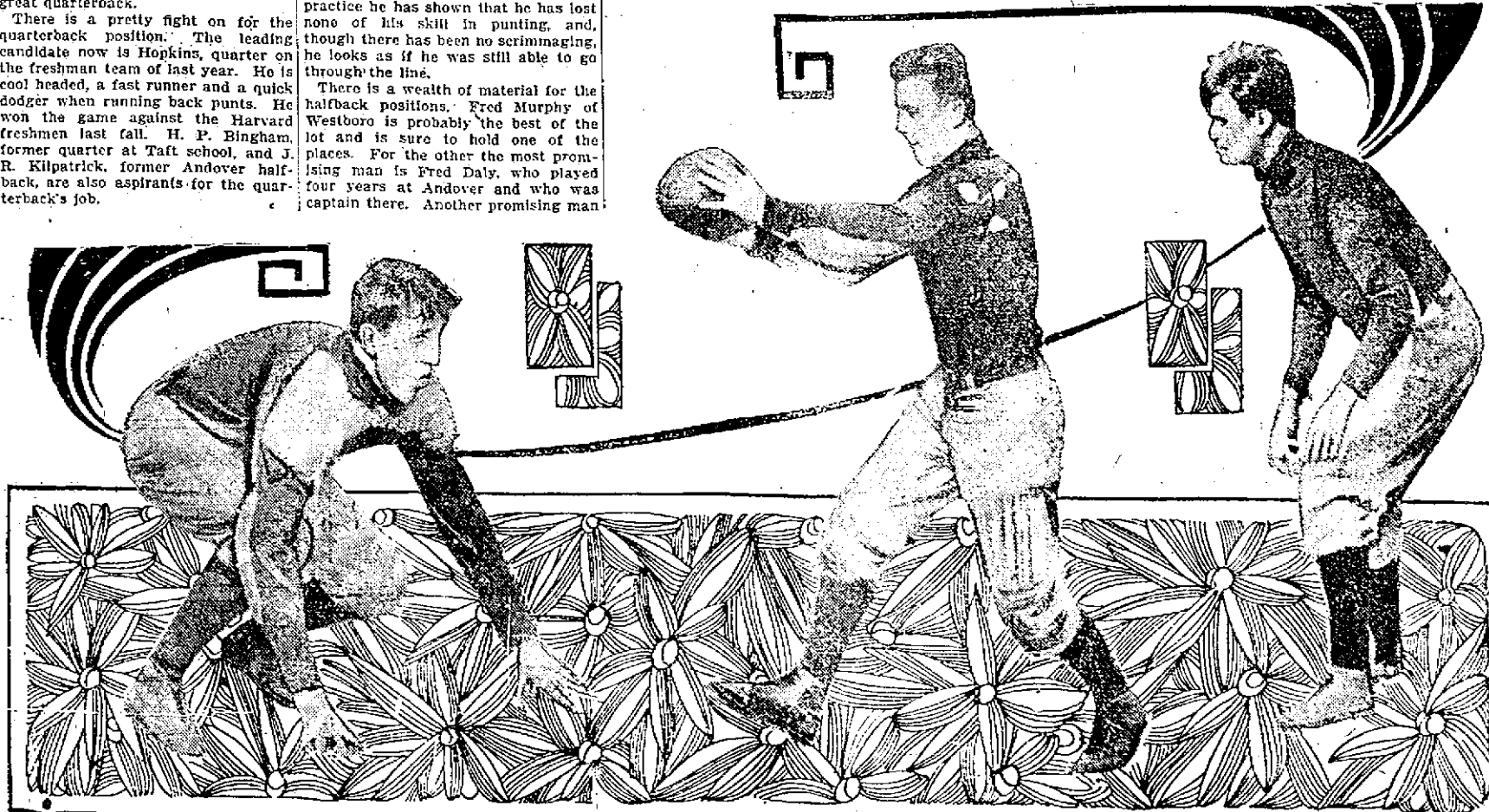
**At Illinois.**

The Illini have nine veterans on hand, more than any other of the leading teams. As a result, they clearly expect a victory over Chicago when they meet Oct. 17, a date far too early for Stagg's liking.

**ARTHUR ROCKWOOD.**

**DOG SHOW DATE.**

The Bloomington (Ill.) Kennel club at a meeting recently fixed the date for its annual bench show, selecting Jan. 27-30, 1908. It is planned to present a larger list of entries than ever before.



F. DeH. HOUSTON, END.

GILBERT, LEFT HALFBACK.

V. P. KENNARD, END.

MEMBERS OF STRONG HARVARD UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL TEAM OF THIS YEAR.



## LOCAL NEWS

Try Tobin's Printery next time.  
Sailed almonds—Extra good—  
Howard, the druggist, 187 Central st.  
Order your coal now at Mullin's, 253  
Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The grand officers of Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Massachusetts have arranged a series of visits to subordinate lodges for the purpose of witnessing the work of the different degrees under the new ritual and to further the interest of the order in this jurisdiction.

Wednesday evening of this week they will visit Centralville lodge, 215, at which time the third degree will be conferred upon two candidates. The degree staff has been hard at work for several weeks, rehearsing the work in order that the degrees may be conferred in the same impressive manner as in the past for which they had a reputation that was more than local.

Chevalier lodge, K. of P., met in Highland hall last Friday evening. Frank Griffin was in the chair and there was a large attendance. After the business a collation was served in the lower hall by Brother Avery Pilling Jones.

Better than ordinary white brooms Joe. Howard, the druggist, 187 Central street.

## MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Napoleon Demers and Miss Mary Roy were married yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph's rectory, by Rev. Fr. Ouellette. Mr. Demers, of Lowell, was the groom, and Mr. Roy was his daughter's witness, and Mr. Achille Demers stood with the bridegroom. In the evening a dinner was served at the residence of the bride, 258 School street, followed by a reception to a large party of guests.

## DRACUT

Rev. A. C. Saxman, pastor of the Dracut Congregational church, has tendered his resignation to the pulpit supply committee of that church. He has occupied the pulpit for about two years, but has accepted a call to a pastorate at Evans, Pa. The Ladies Aid society and the Men's brotherhood league of the Hill-side church have joined forces in the inauguration of the annual harvest supper and entertainment to be held at the church next Thursday.

## AGAINST KEYES

An attachment of \$2000 has been filed against Edwin H. Keyes of Chelmsford at the local court house in Gorham street, the plaintiff in the case being Alice Fisher. This is an action of contract and will be heard at the next session of the superior civil court.

## VESPER GOLFERS

Defeat Winchester Men.

16 to 5

The Vesper Country club golfers defeated the Winchester golfers in a team golf tournament Saturday by a score of 16 to 5. The local players showed considerable more skill than did the visitors and the match was a walkaway for the Vespers.

The trophy will now remain at the Vesper club for another year.

At the conclusion of the match, the players enjoyed an excellent dinner after which speaking was in order.

The finals for the club championship will be played next Saturday, when T. J. Clark and C. L. Knapp will battle for the title. H. J. Corwin and A. H. Swift, will play off on the same day for the championship consolation.

The drawings for the finals for the club cup resulted as follows: J. A. Thompson vs. W. G. Eaton; A. D. Butterfield vs. W. P. Harris; E. K. Atwood vs. P. Stuart. These matches will be played on next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The team match between Vesper and Winchester showed the following scores:

WINCHESTER.		Points
1. W. Small	0	0
2. G. M. Brooks	0	0
3. E. R. Roemer	0	0
4. A. Skillings	0	0
5. G. C. Russell	0	0
6. G. W. Houe	0	0
7. A. G. Fernald	0	0
8. W. P. Harris	0	0
9. P. T. Burford	0	0
10. A. W. Huguley	0	0
11. R. H. Sherman	0	0
12. H. W. Skorr	0	0
13. E. W. Harnard	0	0
14. E. Kinsley	0	0
15. R. E. Cushman	0	0
16. N. H. Seelye	0	0
17. M. Brown	0	0
18. J. W. Russell	0	0
19. E. R. Kelley	0	0
20. W. Maguire	0	0
Total	0	5

VESPER.		Points
1. J. Thorpe	0	0
2. T. Clark	0	0
3. M. Mehan	0	0
4. C. W. Brown	0	0
5. C. L. Knapp	0	0
6. F. Stuart	0	0
7. P. Harris	0	0
8. R. D. Willard	0	0
9. O. Hockmeyer	0	0
10. A. K. Chadwick	0	0
11. H. J. Corwin	0	0
12. A. H. Norton	0	0
13. A. D. Butterfield	0	0
14. A. H. Swift	0	0
15. J. G. Hill	0	0
16. L. K. Whittier	0	0
17. E. Brooks	0	0
18. D. T. Bartlett	0	0
19. A. Wilder	0	0
20. J. H. Brown	0	0
Total	0	16

There was a one day tournament against Weymouth which A. K. Chadwick won.

A. K. Chadwick beat Weymouth 1 up.  
C. L. Knapp 3 down.  
E. P. Thayer 3 down.  
G. K. Atwood 7 down.  
H. H. Sheldon 7 down.  
H. J. Corwin 5 down.

LAST—Ladies' golf match and tea between Lincoln and Methuen, Friday evening, Oct. 9. Return to 126 Lawrence st. Receive reward.

IF YOU CAN'T GO TO THE PINE WOODS

Where your cough, get a 25c bottle of White Pine and Tar. At Sherburne's Drug Store in THE WAITING ROOM.

## LOWELL HIGH WON

## Newburyport Was Outclassed by the Local Boys

Saturday afternoon Lowell High played its second game of the season and defeated Newburyport 24-0. The score shows very nearly the relative merits of both teams. After the first five minutes of play when Newburyport was an unknown and untried quantity, there was no other outcome possible but a local victory. After the Lowell boys tired Newburyport out in these first five minutes of play, and found out their capability and weakness, they settled down to hard, fast work and within nine minutes of play had scored two touchdowns and in two more minutes a third. At no time thereafter was Newburyport dangerous, save once, when Lowell because of penalties, was obliged to punt from behind his own goal. But Bartlett's punt soon put the ball out of danger.

Newburyport made their first down but twice, once in each half, and at all other times was forced to punt or surrender the ball on downs. On the other hand Lowell gained at will and was obliged to punt but twice. Time after time Lowell used the forward pass to good advantage, while Newburyport, trying it but twice, failed both times. Lowell tried three inside kicks and succeeded in making the play good twice. Newburyport tried this play once but failed to carry it through to success.

Lowell used four or five different formations and half a dozen trick plays, while Newburyport used but one formation, the old fashioned, regular three men back formation and the backs were fully six yards behind the ball, thus giving the Lowell team a good opportunity to diagnose the plays before they reached the line. Lowell made their greatest gains on a tackle and on back formation, while Newburyport were entirely at a loss to know how to combat, first through the long side of the line, then through the short, and next a forward pass or short kick till Newburyport seemed entirely bewildered.

For Lowell Bartlett played a very striking game. He has just been shifted from end to tackle and just about fills the bill. In practice gained at the end of following the ball stands him in good stead. Saturday he recovered two or three fumbled balls and was into every play. On several occasions he made splendid diving tackles, and on the offense could always be found helping and pulling forward the man with the ball. The only two punts he made were both well executed and averaged over 40 yards.

Roemer played a very steady and clever game at center. On every center play he and the guards could be relied upon to open up good holds for the backs. On the defense he recovered a forward pass and was all over the field at once. The ends, especially O'Donoghue, showed up well as the results show. Both men recovered kicks, forward passes and never allowed an opponent to circle either ends.

The backfields, while not as fast as they will be expected to be later, are traveling at quite a rate now. Connell, Canney and Gargan all gained at will and showed any place. The quarterbacks showed some improvement over last week's form especially in judgment and team work.

The game in detail: Newburyport won the toss and Lowell kicked off. On the first play Lowell was off side and was penalized five yards. Newburyport failed to gain and punted. After two or three fumbles and an exchange of kicks, it was Lowell's ball on Newburyport's 35 yard line. Connell went through left tackle for 15 yards and Canney went through right guard for a touchdown. Rooney failed to kick the goal. Score, 6-0.

Lowell again kicked off and Bartlett nailed the man in his tracks. Rooney recovered a forward pass attempted by Newburyport. Connell went through left tackle once more, and again Canney carried the ball through center for a touchdown. Rooney kicked the goal. Score, 11-0.

Lowell kicked off and on the third play, Newburyport having failed to gain, punted. O'Donoghue received a forward pass and covered nine yards. Gargan shot through right tackle for ten more and then Connell on a play through the opposite side made a touchdown. Rooney kicked the goal. Score, 17-0.

Newburyport selected to kick off and Lavigne caught the ball. On an attempted quarter back kick, Newburyport got the ball and immediately afterwards Lowell recovered the ball on the same kind of a play. In three plays by Gargan, Connell and Canney the ball was again put over for the fourth touchdown. Rooney kicked the goal. Score, 23-0.

Newburyport kicked off and in a half a dozen more plays, the backs alternating in carrying the ball, Gargan skimed right tackle for 12 yards and a touchdown. Rooney failed to kick the goal. Score, 29-0. There was no further scoring in the half.

Lowell received the kick off and Leggett who replaced Lavigne, ran it in 20 yards. Gargan took off 15 yards around right end. O'Brien made 12 more through left tackle and then Newburyport got the ball on a fumble. They failed to gain and kicked. In a series of plays, making 10 and 15 yards at a time, Lowell again scored, Canney carrying the ball. Rooney kicked the ball. Score, 35-0.

After the several substitutes were put in by Lowell and the ball saved up and down till time was called.

The line-up:

LOWELL. NEWBURYPORT

O'Donoghue, lb. re Worcester

Bartlett, lb. re McKinley

Green, lb. re Perkins

Rooney, c. re Kelley

Barnes, rg. re Elliott

Kelsey, rg. lb. Winder

Moore, rt. re Donovan

McMahon, rt. re McMahon

Lavigne, rg. re Lavigne

Gargan, lb. re Gargan

Taylor, lb. re Taylor

Connell, lb. re Connell

Slattery, lb. re Slattery

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# CHICAGO BEATEN BY SCORE OF 8 TO 3

## 15,000 ARE IDLE

### Settlement of Lynn Strike Not Yet in Sight

LYNN, Oct. 12.—The shoe industry of Lynn today entered upon the second week of paralyzed operations as a result of the strike of last week with no immediate prospect of settlement of the dispute. It had been hoped that the conferences of last week would at least result in the withdrawal of the orders for a sympathetic strike, thereby returning to work the operatives in all more than 125 factories of the city with the exception of that of Joseph Caunt & Co. where the movement of unrest and suspension of work had its inception. Apparently no headway was made, however, and today with the efforts for arbitration complicated to a great extent, some 15,000 operatives have left their benches, without any idea as to when they return to them with the approval of their unions.

Of the entire number of shoe workers who did not report as usual today but little more than 10 per cent. are employed as lasters, the greater number including members of the edgemarking, turning, bottom finishing, treering, joining, polishing and well-heel operating branches of the craft. Some of these were out as a result of the withdrawal of the several factories and shops by the unions while others were affected by closing orders from the manufacturers issued on Saturday when the material on hand was disposed of.

No outbreaks have yet been reported, the union leaders urging upon the strikers the need of remaining peaceable and calm, those who sought to facilitate their fellow workers to more extreme measures than those advocated by the union officials. It is likely that this practically quiet condition of affairs will continue unless some outside element is introduced into the situation.

In this latter connection probably the greatest factor likely to bring about an eruption on the part of the strikers is the bringing to the city of unskilled workmen to attempt to break the strike. The manufacturers are loath to do this, they say, but several have announced their intention of doing this should the stagnation of their business continue for any great length of time. Up to the present time the absence of any need for picketing has contributed greatly to the lack of violence with the need of efforts of the strikers to offset the movement of manufacturers to discontinue the strike the usual scenes of rioting and trouble are expected to result.

Against this, however, the police have to some extent already provided and reserve officers are being held within reach constantly to quell any outbreaks or disturbances that may arise.

A ray of light was cast upon the situation late in the forenoon when arrangements were made for a conference at the mayor's office between the shoe manufacturers who are not members of the Manufacturers association of the city, the board of trade and the striking lasters. The purpose of this conference was to find possible arrangements whereby the independent manufacturers could frame an agreement and be relieved from the present prospect of closing. Another hopeful indication was a statement attributed to Joseph Caunt to the effect that if all the strikers would go back in all the factories the Caunt firm would agree to submit to arbitration the grievances between itself and its own lasters. The Caunt people claim that while the strike began at their factory, the movement was directed toward many manufacturers on account of a number of grievances, some of which were not held against the Caunts. At the latter factory all hands were paid off today.

About 1200 men participated in the parade today and marched through the factory district singing and cheering at various points. A mass meeting is being arranged for tomorrow.

A conference was held shortly before noon at city hall between manufacturers and the union. The former, about

six, are not identified with the Manufacturers association. The conference lasted about an hour and at its conclusion the following statement, signed by many of the manufacturers, was given out.

"We stand at all times to deal fairly with our employees. No grievances exist between us and the labor unions and we believe that the interests of the city, employees and manufacturers demand that every effort be made to bring about a satisfactory condition of affairs."

"We desire that the lasters return to work in our factories and we agree to continue satisfactory arrangements with them and we will do anything in our power to bring about a settlement of the trouble."

The statement was taken by the agent of the lasters' union for submission to a meeting of the lasters.

Learning of a proposition to arbitrate the Caunt grievances separately the lasters issued a statement declaring they would treat with the manufacturers only as a body.

### PEACE CONGRESS

WAS OPENED AT GREENSBORO, N. C., TODAY

GREENSBORO, N. C., Oct. 12.—The North Carolina peace congress opened today in the great auditorium purchased for the Jamestown exposition and in the presence of a large audience assembled for the Greensboro centennial and the peace congress. At the opening of the session the following message from President Roosevelt was read:

"I wish I could be present at your congress. As it is not possible, may I ask through you to convey to those present my hope for a successful meeting."

(Signed) "Theodore Roosevelt."

In connection with this there was read to the congress remarks of the president by a delegation who called on him to ask his attendance. The president was quoted in part: "I am glad to learn that the North Carolina peace congress has declared itself in favor of adequate armament as well as effective arbitration. There is no inconsistency in advocating both of these things at the present time; on the contrary those who have the public welfare at heart fall in the performance of a part of their duty if they neglect to labor for both. The growth of the acceptance of the principle of international arbitration is necessarily slow; we should do all we can to hasten it; it is well to remember that the acceptance of this principle in any measure whatever depends exclusively upon the effective support it receives from the half dozen powers of great warlike strength. As things actually are at the present day we are helpless to further the cause of peace and of effective international arbitration unless to just and peaceful intentions we add a stout heart and a strong arm and this means military and naval preparedness to a far greater degree than is at present the case."

### AUTO RACES

Scheduled For Narragansett Park This Afternoon

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 12.—Enthusiasts of automobile racing are watching with interest today the races which are scheduled for this afternoon at Narragansett Park, under the auspices of the Rhode Island Automobile club. DePalma, Leo Baldwin, Marriott, Ordendorf, Grant, Arthur Leever, Stanley Webster and other drivers of local and international reputation were out on the track this morning preparing for the races. Thirty-nine cars have been entered, many of them credited with world's records. There are twenty cups which are prizes of the meet. Several motor cycle events are to be run off between the automobile races.

SCORE BY INNINGS															
Chicago	-	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	
Detroit	-	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	8	

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—Chicago and Detroit met here this afternoon in their third battle for the world's baseball championship. According to the announcements made by the managers of the rival teams Pfeister will pitch for the Nationals against Mullin of the Detroit Americans. The weather promises to be fair with shifting winds. The National league has the honor behind the bat, as O'Day will do the umpiring there. Sheridan of the Americans will take care of affairs on the bases.

Predictions are that a heavy crowd will attend. The enthusiasts want to see Chicago make it three straight and fearing that they may not see another world's championship game this season will come out no matter how the weather is. The series is four games out of seven.

Reserved seat tickets were put on sale at the West Side park this morning at 9 o'clock and the general admission pasteboards an hour later, when the gates were scheduled to be thrown open to the public.

From a baseball angle a great deal depends on today's game. If Chicago wins it means three straight and the confidence which goes with it. A Detroit victory would tend to put the American leaguers on their mettle even more than they are now. Both teams will take an early train tonight for Detroit to insure as early rest as possible. They play today at Chicago Wednesday at Detroit and Thursday here. If the series is then a tie the national committee decides where the odd battle is to be staged.

A good sized crowd was in line when a sale of tickets began. The weather was chilly. The sun shone brightly but overcast and rain were in general use among the spectators.

### The Lineup

The line-up was announced at noon with Downs on second, Schmidt catching and Schaefer on third for Detroit. Just before the game started a change was made and the teams started as follows:

Detroit—McIntyre, 1f; O'Leary, ss; Crawford, cf; Cobb, rf; Rossman, lb; Schaefer, 2b; Thomas, c; Coughlin, 3b; Mullin, p.

Chicago—Schaefer, 1f; Evers, 2b; Schulte, rf; Chance, lb; Steinfield, 3b; Hoffman, cf; Tinker, ss; Kling, c; Pfeister, p.

Umpires—O'Day and Sheridan.

### 15 MINUTES' DELAY

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—At 2 o'clock the time scheduled for play to begin the grandstand and all boxes were filled but there were vacant rows of seats in the distant bleachers. To allow time for the seats in the distant bleachers to fill, the game was delayed until 2:15 o'clock.

Manager Jennings changed his lineup, putting Schaefer at second base and Coughlin at third base, this eliminating Downs who played second for the first two games.

First Inning  
Detroit—McIntyre out. Evers to Chance. O'Leary was safe on a short hit too hot for Steinfield. Crawford hit in front of the plate, Kling threw him out at first. O'Leary going to second.

Chicago—Schaefer fanned. Evers fanned. Schulte singled. Steinfield fanned. O'Leary fanned. Rossman fanned. Chance fanned. Mullin fanned. Tinker fanned. Kling fanned. Pfeister fanned. No runs.

Second Inning  
Detroit—Schaefer out. Steinfield to Chance. Thomas out. Evers to Chance. Coughlin grounded out. Evers to Chance. No runs.

Chicago—Chance fanned out. Schaefer fanned. Steinfield fanned. Hoffman fanned. Tinker fanned. No runs.

Third Inning  
Detroit—Mullin out. Steinfield to Chance. Mullin fanned. O'Leary fanned. Crawford fanned. Evers fanned. Schulte fanned. No runs.

Chicago—Tinker fanned. Evers fanned. Schulte fanned. Steinfield fanned. O'Leary fanned. Rossman fanned. Chance fanned. Mullin fanned. Tinker fanned. Kling fanned. Pfeister fanned. No runs.

Fourth Inning  
Detroit—Crawford singled to center. Cobb fanned. Crawford at second. Evers to Tinker. Rossman sent a short fly to Evers who doubled. Cobb at first. No runs.

Chicago—Schaefer struck out. Evers fanned. Evers stole second. Schulte fanned. Chance fanned. Chance singled to center and Evers scored from second. Steinfield hit to Coughlin who threw to Rossman and Chance came home. Coughlin took second on the play. Hoffman

tripped to left, scoring Steinfield. Tinker out. O'Leary to Rossman. Three runs.

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Detroit—Schaefer out to Tinker on a fly. Thomas out. Tinker to Chance. Coughlin struck out. No runs.

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Score end fifth: Detroit 1, Chicago 3.

Sixth Inning  
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Seventh Inning  
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Chicago—Hoffman singled to right. Tinker struck out. O'Leary took Kling's

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Score end eighth: Chicago 3, Detroit 8.

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## KILLED BY AUTO

### Young Man Crushed to Death

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Martin Conley, Jr., 23 years old, an employee of the comptroller's office and son of Martin Conley, a democratic district leader of Brooklyn, was crushed to death under a sixty-horse-power automobile early today when the machine, which was whirling along at the rate of forty miles an hour, leaped from the road, crashed through an iron fence, and landed bottom upward in the open subway out of the Long Island railroad at Howard and Atlantic avenues, East New York.

In the machine with Conley was Alfred Overmud, a chauffeur employed by Portus Thompson, a Brooklyn real estate agent. Overmud was not seriously hurt. The auto was practically ruined. The police say the car had been taken out of the garage without the knowledge of Mr. Thompson.

## COMPANY M.

### WILL HOLD MEETING AND DANCE THIS WEEK

Company M will hold a business meeting and drill at the Westford armory tomorrow night. On Wednesday evening will take place the invitation dance under the auspices of Company C.

## POLICEMAN'S BADGE

### UNIQUE "WELCOME" MOTTO FOR POLICE CONVENTION.

In the assembly room at the police station is a massive representation of a police patrolman's badge, designed by Inspector Frank Fox and painted by Patrolman McCarthy. It is inscribed as follows: "Welcome, Annual Convention of Massachusetts Police Association, Oct. 14, 15, 1908. This is to be placed in a central and conspicuous position in the front of Lincoln hall, Donohue building, Graham street, where the convention is to be held."

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## AT SUN BUILDING

### Hundreds of Fans Lined Up This Afternoon

Another large and enthusiastic crowd of base ball fans congregated in Merrimack square this afternoon to see and hear the returns from the Chicago-Detroit game for the world's championship played at Chicago this afternoon. Despite the fact that the weather was very raw and a strong wind was blowing through the square, the crowd remained in front of The Sun building from the time the game started until it came to an end.

The special telegraph operator who occupied a seat on the platform in front of The Sun building, gave the returns to the megaphone and bulletin artists who in return delivered them to the crowd.

As on Saturday the crowd seemed to

favor Detroit and when it was announced in the first inning that the Tigers had scored the first run there was a great deal of applause. As good plays were made by the different sides during the game the enthusiasts expressed their enthusiasm.

The contest held yesterday at Chicago was announced exclusively by The Sun. Inasmuch as the Associated Press wire did not open on the service until seven o'clock at night, it was necessary for The Sun to get special communication with Chicago in order to keep the fans posted by bulletin service. It is unnecessary to state that the public greatly appreciates The Sun's work in endeavoring to secure for it at the earliest moment the result of the greatest series in the history of base ball.

## WITH THE PONIES ROLAND PHELPS

### Today's Results at Belmont Park Races Found Dead in Fall River Barn

BELMONT PARK, N. Y., Oct. 12.—First race—Maidens 2 years old; 6 furlongs: Golden Legend, 110, Clement, won; Lady Selina, 107, McCarthy, second; Sententious, 107, Upton, third. Time—1:13 3-5. Mr. Jorjoecks, Gutesmolin, Autocrat, Dandy Dixon, Gus Hein, Spanish Prince, La Belle Acres, Merry Widow, Ameri and Emily G. also ran.

Second race—The Corinthian open steeplechase handicap, 4 years old and up; Gentlemen riders; about 2 1/2 miles: Emory Lane, 1st; Page, won; Grandun, 150, Hayes, second. Time—5:39 2-5. Only two starters.

Third race—The Rancho Del Paso, 2 year olds; six furlongs: Ethereal, 109, McCarthy, won; Wise Mason, 108, McCahey, second. Time—1:12 4-5. Only two starters.

JUDGE TAFT STARTS OUT IN CONTINUOUS CAMPAIGN

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 12.—W. H. Taft left this city at 7 a. m. today for a continuous campaign tour on the road till election night. For three days he will devote his attention to his home state. The itinerary today includes speeches at Morrow, Wilmington, Washington Court House, Chillicothe, Lancaster, New Lexington, Zanesville, Cambridge, New Concord, Canal Dover and Massillon. During this trip, which is largely through the rural districts of the state, Mr. Taft will make speeches to farmers, giving his reasons why the republican policy of protection should be chosen rather than the democratic tariff principles.

OLD STORY HE DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS LOADED.

FRESQUE ISLAND, Me., Oct. 12.—Milton Fox, 18, of Chapman plantation, died today from the effects of a bullet wound received yesterday. He and a brother whose age was 18 were playing with a 22 calibre rifle. The younger boy, not knowing it was loaded, pulled the trigger and the bullet entered Milton's abdomen.

STATE TROOPS PREVENT THREATENING RIOT BY NEGROES.

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Oct. 12.—The mob spirit caused by the arrest of John Orby, a negro, for an alleged assault on Miss Lelia Gempsey on Saturday last, has died out to a great extent although three companies of state troops are still guarding the jail where Orby is confined.

## ROLAND PHELPS

### Found Dead in Fall River Barn

The boy who gave his name as Eddie Sands and who was found dead in a Fall River barn yesterday, proves to be Roland Phelps, the 17-year-old son of Samuel Phelps of May street, this city. He left home about a year ago. His father went to the border city today to make arrangements for bringing the body to Lowell.

## PEACE MEETING

### BRITISH AND DUTCH DISCUSS SOI AFRICAN FEDERATION.

DURBAN, Natal, Oct. 12.—A national convention of British and Dutch delegates with the object of drafting a constitution which shall unite all the South African colonies in one federation was opened in this city today. Sir Matthew Nathan, governor of Natal and most of the Boer generals who were conspicuous in the war are among the delegates.

## NARROW ESCAPE

### SPANISH BALLOON MAKES SWIFT DESCENT

MESTZENDORF, Province of Saxony, Prussia, Oct. 12.—While the Spanish balloon Mantana was passing over this place this afternoon at a height of 6000 feet the envelope ripped up. The balloon managed to land safely and the rest of the car was uninjured.

## BODY FOUND

### Unknown Man Killed On Railroad Tracks Today

WILLIMANTIC, Conn., Oct. 12.—A man's body was found on the railroad near Huxton today. In a copy of the by-laws of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen found in the clothing, were the names of Miss Grace De Witt and P. J. Hemmaway of Litchminster, Mass.

## MRS. ALEXIS DEAD

PORT AU PRINCE, Hayti, Oct. 12.—Mrs. Ned Alexis, wife of the aged president of Hayti, died here today. The government is preparing for a national funeral.

## COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Cotton futures opened firm, Oct. 8.95, New, Dec. 8.55, Jan. 8.55, Feb. 8.55, March 8.55, April 8.55, May 8.55, June 8.55, July 8.55.



# 6 O'CLOCK HE SCORES TAFT

## Pres. Gompers Addresses a Circular to "Men Who Labor"

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—In performing a solemn duty at this time in support of a political party, labor does not become partisan to a political party but partisan to a principle," declares President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor in a circular issued today regarding labor's attitude in the campaign. He charges that the republican party and its candidate stand for further extending into this country a despotic government vested in the judiciary and that the democratic party and its candidate stand for government by law vested in the people.

The circular is addressed to "Men who labor, lovers of human liberty," and says in part:

"The judiciary induced by corporations and trusts and protected by the

republican party is step by step destroying government by law and substituting therefor a government by judges who determine what in their opinion is right, what is evidence, who is guilty and what the punishment shall be. This revolution is depriving the workers of their rights as citizens and will inevitably be made applicable to the business men later. Despotism under the crime is as dangerous as despotism under the law.

The circular refers to Judge Taft as the originator and specific counselor of discretionary government. And Mr. Gompers reiterated, "that there is no political office in the gift of the American people, elective or appointive that I would under any circumstances accept."

# HARRY K. THAW

## Must Remain in the Matteawan Asylum for Criminal Insane

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Harry K. Thaw will have to remain in the state hospital for the criminal insane at Matteawan, N. Y., until the court of appeals shall decide whether he is entitled to a hearing before a jury to determine whether he is insane. Justice Mills of the New York state supreme court recently refused to grant Thaw's application of the court's counsel for a jury trial on the sanity question and decided to hear the case himself without a jury. Thaw was brought into court today and his mother and several relatives were present. The prisoner's counsel again moved for a jury trial and when this was denied asked that Thaw be discharged from custody on the ground that the last trial for murder did not find Thaw insane. This also was denied. Thaw's counsel then declared that they had appealed to the New York state court of appeals from the decision refusing a jury trial and that until the higher court had given a decision they would submit no evidence on the question of Thaw's sanity.

Justice Mills said there was no other alternative than for Thaw to be returned to Matteawan asylum and he was ordered to be returned to that institution.

# SUIT OVER HORSE

## Was Heard in the Superior Court Today

The cases of Hannah and Katherine Woods against Frederick W. Thomas, one of the wealthiest citizens of Melrose, which were opened last Thursday before Judge White in the civil session of the superior court, now being held in this city, were resumed this morning and arguments were heard, after which the court charged the jury and the latter retired.

The jury in the case, after being out for a short period, returned with a verdict in favor of the defendant.

**Drew vs. Parker**

The next case in order was that of Wallace Drew against Harry M. Parker, it being an appealed case from the lower court.

Mr. Drew in his declaration stated that he engaged a pasture in Steadman street, belonging to Mr. Parker, and placed his horse there. It is then alleged that Mr. Parker placed a horse in the same pasture and that Mr. Drew's horse contracted the disease and had to be shot. Also it was claimed that Mr. Parker sold the horse, which it alleged was suffering from glanders, to another party and that the horse was subsequently shot.

The case was heard in the local police court on April 21, 1908, and judgment was given the plaintiff in the sum of \$90 and costs, but the defendant appealed to the upper court. The horse owned by Mr. Drew was valued at \$125. J. J. Kervin appeared for the plaintiff and William H. Bent for the defense.

# CREW IS SAFE

## Men Thought to Have Been Drowned

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Captain Monroe and five of the crew of the British schooner Sirico who were supposed to have been lost when their vessel was wrecked off the Florida coast on Oct. 1, were landed here today by the freight steamer Horatius, which arrived from South American ports by way of Havana.

Two members of the Sirico's crew, who had been picked up by a vessel were landed in Newport News on Saturday. They believed they were the only survivors of the crew of eight who were picked up after having drifted on wreckage for five days. Captain Monroe and the men with him who comprise the remaining members of the crew believed that the other two had been lost and expressed great satisfaction today to learn of their escape. The six men had been aboard on the Sirico's last voyage for four days when the vessel fell in with them. The Sirico, which was bound from Savannah, Ga., to Atlix in the East Indies, was wrecked on Mantarilla, a tropical hurricane.

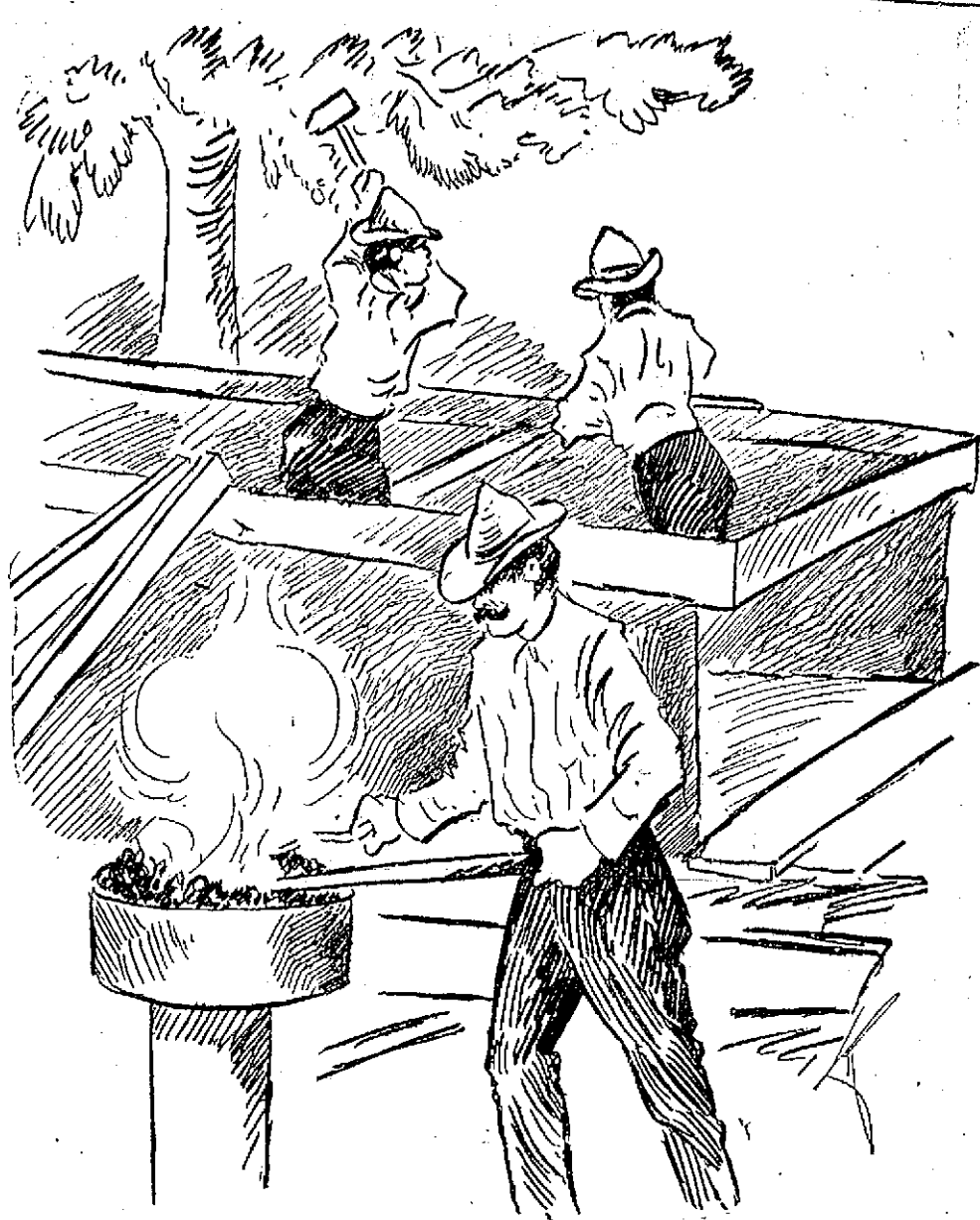
# THE PRESIDENT

## RECEIVED JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Before the admission of twenty-one members of the bar, the supreme court of the United States which convened at noon for the 126-65 terms transacted no official business but immediately adjourned to make the usual formal call upon the president. The actual business of the term will begin tomorrow.

At the White House the justices were received in the Blue parlor and after shaking hands with the president, chatted with him a short time. The president made no formal remarks.

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BOSTON



WORKMEN BUILDING THE NEW IRON SIDEWALK ACROSS THE CANAL ON EAST MERRIMACK STREET.

# WIDENING BRIDGE

## The Work is Progressing Rapidly

The work of widening the canal bridge in Merrimack square, together with the lowering of the 24 inch water main under the northerly side of the bridge is progressing rapidly. The work which is being done by the United Construction Company of Albany is in charge of A. H. Kittredge, secretary of the company.

The original bridge was 50 feet wide and altogether too narrow for the amount of traffic that passed over it, and it was very dangerous for vehicles making their approach to the centre of the city owing to the abrupt turn when entering the easterly approach to the bridge.

The finishing touches were put on the skeleton structure today and everything will be in readiness to lower the steel beams as soon as the water pipes is lowered.

The construction company instead of melting the joints of the water main as contracted for, sub-let the contract to the water department and this afternoon the joints were melted and the work of lowering the pieces of pipe started. The construction company contracted to lower the pipes in 36 hours and during that time the water

will be shut off from that particular main.

The steel structure is resting on six jacks, two on either abutment and two on the centre pier, and will be lowered into place as soon as the pipes have been lowered. The work of laying the concrete sidewalk with granolithic finish and the erection of a railing will then be started and it is expected that before long the sidewalk will be ready for travel.

When the new sidewalk is placed in position the roadway will be almost ten feet wider than it is at the present time.

The Boston & Northern Locks & Canals are working in conjunction in strengthening and improving the bridge. The railway company has placed four steel girders under their tracks and the locks & canals will put in steel girders and improve the roadway.

# INDICT BAILEY

## He is Charged With Murder

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 12.—Two indictments for murder and one for assault with intent to kill were returned against William Bailey of Pawtucket by the grand jury in the superior court this morning.

Bailey is a blacksmith and is alleged to have shot West Howarth, a night watchman, William Gamell, a special officer, and Frank Bartman, a police officer in public, in Pawtucket on June 19. Howarth and Gamell both died as a result of their wounds.

An indictment for manslaughter was returned against Frank J. Lyons of this city in the case of Henry Kelly, whose dead body was found on Canal street on April 16. Kelly had been crushed to death with a big cobble stone which lay nearby.

# RESOLUTIONS

## ON DEATH OF JOHN P. MAHONEY

### ADOPTED BY C. T. A. U.

Many matters of importance to the Lowell and No. Chelmsford societies of the Archdiocesan union were discussed at yesterday's convention in Brookline. President John J. Coyne and ex-Pres. John V. Donoghue of the Matthews attended from Lowell. John J. Curry, ex-Pres. Jas. P. Quigley represented St. John's T. A. S. of North Chelmsford, while Misses Belle Valentine and Rose McTeague were delegates from St. John's Ladies' society of North Chelmsford. All the above mentioned delegates took a prominent part in the proceedings. In his address to the convention Rev. J. Haven Richards, S. J., took occasion to compliment the Matthews of Lowell for their work along literary and musical lines commending it as beneficial to the society. Financial Secretary Stephen T. Ward's report of the national convention was highly interesting. Resolutions for prizes were unanimously adopted on the death of the late John P. Mahoney of Lowell, a former president of the union. The resolutions were drawn up by Stephen T. Ward and John T. Shea. Mr. Shea, the first vice president, was promoted to the presidency, and Lawrence E. Murphy of Boston succeeds Pres. Shea. The recommendations providing for prizes were adopted. The matter of a place for the next annual convention was left in the hands of the governing board. There is some talk of the convention being held in Lowell and as a majority of the board favor the idea it is likely that Lowell will get the meeting.

**DRILL TO BE HELD**

The first drill for the big Boston demonstration of November 1, of the Holy Name society of St. Andrew's parish, North Billerica, will be held in Union hall, that village. The North Billerica organization has a membership of 135, and three companies will be made out of this number.

# LOWELL WANTS IT

## This City is After Bowling Congress

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Two important meetings are on the card for today—the National Duck and Candle Pin bowling congress at the American House at 2 p. m., and a gathering at the Elks home, Everett, with representatives from the cities of Everett, Boston, Chelsea, Somerville, Cambridge, Medford, Winthrop and Malden, to make out a schedule for the Elks' bowling tour.

Ex-Mayor Arthur W. Hatch will be president. James W. Bean of Cambridge secretary, and Henry R. Barry treasurer. The following are the committees: Fitzpatrick of Winthrop, Noyes of Somerville and Cogswell of Medford, rules; Hatch, Bean and Dr. Edward Hannan of Chelsea, schedule; Barry, Noyes and Cogswell, alleys.

The general outlook for the bowling season is brighter than for some years past. Renewed activity in existing organizations, and the launching of many new combinations, are reported. Today's meeting of the national congress will decide the place for holding this year's tournament, the last having been held in Boston. There is some talk of an effort to hold it in Boston, but several other cities also claim the honor, including Lowell, Providence, Worcester and Springfield. They are to send representatives to Boston today with attractive programs to offer.

The old landmark in Boston candle-pin bowling was removed Saturday with the passing of the Adams Square alleys. In their place, however, has arisen the handsome new Boston Alleys, an establishment that it is safe to say is one of the finest of the kind in the country. Complete in all its details, it meets a need long felt in bowling circles in Boston, that of an exclusive place where women players, even without escort can play. There is an alley exclusively for women players, and an elaborate lounge room has been fitted in full view of the five alleys, with tables and a piano.

Many applications have been received from clubs and organizations for accommodation.

# GEORGE TOWNS

## Was Defeated for Sculling Championship

LONDON, Oct. 12.—After being held for ten years in Australia, the professional sculling championship of England was won back today by E. Barry of London who easily defeated George Towns of Australia by a length and a half over the Putney-Merlake course of four and a quarter miles. The time was 21 minutes and 21 seconds. Barry won a purse of \$200.

The new champion is a brother of W. A. Barry from whom Towns wrested the title in 1888.

# THREE MEN STABBED

## One of the Victims is Not Expected to Live

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—In a fight between two bodies of Syrians in the South End at 6 o'clock last night three men were stabbed. One of them, Elmi Ibrahim, aged 21 years, unmarried, of 100 Hudson street is at the City hospital in a dying condition.

His right arm was broken at the elbow and he was stabbed several times in the back and right side. One knife thrust, it is feared, pierced his lung, causing a hemorrhage.

Three of his alleged assailants were taken to the hospital last evening by officers of the Lighthouse street station, but his condition was such that he was unable to identify them. The men under arrest are Antoine Ayesh, aged 22, and George Lewis, Joseph Lewis and Leon Lewis, brothers. The four men live at 54 Hudson street. They are charged with assault and battery with intent to kill.

According to Capt. Dugan, who examined eight witnesses, the fight started on Hudson street in the Syrian colony, close to the corner of Kenebald street. Ibrahim and some friends were passing along when suddenly knives were drawn. No one would state what started the fight. The Lewis brothers claimed that Ibrahim and his friends were the aggressors.

Stabbed in Hall Way.

In less than two minutes the street was filled with a curious crowd, and in the mixup it was hard to tell who the real combatants were. The fight was continued along Hudson street to Harvard street and thence into Tyler street, where Ibrahim ran for protection into the house of George Murray, a Greek, at 77 Tyler street. Some men rushed in after him and he was stabbed in the hallway of the house. His assailants then ran from the house.

Patrolmen Brennan and Wilson rushed to the scene, but at the time couldn't find any one mixed up in the fight, as they had scattered, leaving Ibrahim behind. The dying man was hurried to the relief hospital. Then the police, learning that some of the fighters had gone to the Emergency hospital, went there and found George Lewis and Joseph Lewis being treated. Joseph had a knife wound about four inches long in the fleshy part of the forearm. George was also stabbed in the arm in a similar manner and had another gash about six inches long over his ribs. It required 32 stitches to close the wounds. He was left at the hospital under guard, and Joseph was taken to the station.

# SERIOUSLY INJURED

## Edward Scully Fell Down Stairs in a Local Hotel

Edward Scully, of Pittsfield, Mass., and a delegate to the convention of the state branch of the American Federation of Labor, which is being held in this city, had a narrow escape from being killed at noon today as a result of falling down a flight of stairs at the Merrimack House. He is now at St. John's hospital suffering from a slight concussion of the brain.

Scully was descending the stairs when he made a mis-step and losing

his balance fell head foremost to the landing below. The noise of the man falling attracted the attention of several of the attaches of the house who ran to his assistance. Upon finding that he was unconscious they sent for a doctor and the ambulance.

The ambulance made a quick trip to the hotel and removed the injured man to St. John's hospital where it was found he was suffering from a slight concussion of the brain.

# HAVE RECOVERED

## Americans Were Only Slightly Injured

BERLIN, Oct. 12.—A. Holland Forbes and August Post, the American aeronauts who yesterday had such a narrow escape from death when their balloon, the Conqueror, burst in the air at an altitude of 4000 feet, had completely recovered this morning from the effects of their thrilling experiences. Mr. Forbes drove out today and examined what was left of the balloon prior to having it packed for transportation back to New York whither it will be shipped tomorrow. The envelope is torn into five pieces and there are also in it many holes as a result of its contact with roofs.

Although nothing definite has been established, the general opinion is that the accident was caused by the length of the appendix which did not permit the gas to escape with sufficient rapidity as it expanded with ascent. This occurred in spite of the fact that the valve was completely open and the result was the construction of great pressure at the top of the balloon which ended in a break. It was the purpose of the aeronauts by this arrangement to get greater lifting capacity.

Mr. Forbes said today that he had been overwhelmed with inquiries as to his condition and he has received hundreds of cards, letters of congratulations as well as large quantities of flowers. Emperor William has sent one of his personal adjutants to make inquiries and he expressed a desire to meet Mr. Forbes this afternoon.

Mr. Forbes probably will go to England, where he will make other ascensions.

No news has yet been received concerning the positions of the other contestants who started from here yesterday in the race for the international cup.

# ASSAULT CASE

A continued assault case occupied a little over an hour of the court's time, lasting till 1.30 o'clock. It was a case in which Henry O. Keyes of Westford, was charged with assault and battery upon W. O. Douglas.

The latter is a well known blacksmith of North Chelmsford. A dispute arose over work done by the complainant for the defendant. The bill was for the shoeing of horses and the getting of wheel tires for Mr. Keyes, who had delivered wood which he was willing to allow to be credited to payment for all the work that Mr. Douglas had done for him. The latter refused to accept the wood claiming that it was not the kind he ordered. It was alleged that Mr. Keyes while removing a wheel from the blacksmith shop was held back by Mr. Douglas, he holding on to the wheel with the result that his hand was jammed against a post and injured. It was claimed that Mr. Keyes was responsible for the injury which resulted in the arrest and the trial of today. The defendant was fined \$15 and appealed, being ordered in \$300 for his appearance at the superior court. Lawyer Fred Fisher for the defendant and W. H. Wilson for the complainant.

# PRES. CASTRO IMPROVED.

CARACAS, Ven., Oct. 2, via Willemstad, Curacao, Oct. 12.—The health of President Castro shows much improvement. He was seen on the streets of the city for the first time since his return from Valencia. He has discussed with Foreign Minister Paul the answer to be given by Venezuela to the second note from the government of the Netherlands.

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# LATEST THE IRISH ENVOYS

Speak in Associate Hall Next  
Sunday Evening

An important meeting of the United Irish league was held in Harrington hall last evening with a good attendance. President Roarke occupied the chair and a pleasing entertainment was enjoyed, including a duet by Mrs. Mary and Emily White and vocal solos by Miss Margaret White, Bernard Roarke and Peter Healey.

The delegates to the Boston convention reported upon the great success of that event in advancing the cause of home rule for Ireland. The various features of the convention were commended upon and the assurance of the leader of the Irish party that home rule would be an accomplished fact in the near future was received with applause. It was announced that the Irish envoys, Hon. Joseph Devlin, M. P., and Rev. Richard McGee, the Presbyterian minister and ex-member of parliament, would speak in Associate hall next Sunday evening under the auspices of the league.

It was voted to have the meeting for the reception of the envoys free to the public and to invite all friends of the cause. Special invitations were extended to all the local divisions of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, the Ladies Auxiliary, A. O. H., also to Branch O'Neill-Crowley, Irish National Foresters, and the Lady Wolfe Tones, I. N. L.

The committee on arrangements consists of President Roarke, Bartholomew Toolin, Peter Desmond, E. J. Gallagher, Michael Connolly, John Desmond, Thomas Ready, Cornelius Desmond, John Roarke, Miss Julia Conway, Felix McCabe, Miss Julia

Reilly, Miss Edith Williams, Miss A. C. O'Connor. The committee will meet on Wednesday evening at the anteroom of A. O. H. hall, when a reception committee will be appointed to meet the delegates next Sunday and escort them to Associate hall.

Rev. John P. O'Brien, O. M. I., of the Sacred Heart church, was admitted a member of the league and made a brief address, complimenting the organization on the splendid work it was doing for Ireland and he urged the members to persevere as it would undoubtedly be but a short time until the Irish party would secure home rule. He said he had always taken a deep interest in the movement and was happy to know that its efforts were soon to be crowned with success.

Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I., was called upon and responded briefly expressing his satisfaction with the progress of the movement and giving specific instances of the great work accomplished by the United Irish league in restoring the land to the people and driving out the tyrannical landlords. He said the Land Act accomplished a great deal in this respect and the defects of the measure were soon to be remedied by a special act to be introduced in parliament in the near future. He mentioned various other measures of great importance including the Irish university, which he felt would be a great boon to the people.

Secretary Toolin read a list of the contributions already published and which were included in the check for \$125 given in at the Boston convention. The report was accepted and the secretary was instructed to convey to the contributors the thanks of the league.

## THE COAL MINERS GOVERNOR GUILD

Began Their Annual May Attend Dedication  
Convention Today of Monument

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 12.—A convention of miners from the three anthracite districts of the United Mine Workers of America began here today for the purpose of formulating demands to be presented to the coal operators shortly before the expiration in April next of the present three year agreement. The convention will be held behind closed doors.

It is believed that the miners will not ask for a general increase in wages but will demand adjustments where they claim the present agreement was violated and wages reduced.

### LOWELL PLAYER

SERIOUSLY HURT IN FOOTBALL GAME AT LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, Oct. 12.—As the result of injuries received in a football game between the Lowell Indians and the Revere's of Lawrence, Joseph O'Brien, 21, the quarterback of the Lowell team, was badly hurt.

While in a scrimmage O'Brien received injuries to his head and internal injuries which rendered him unconscious.

O'Brien regained consciousness yesterday and during the day was removed to his home in North Billerica. No serious results are anticipated.

### ST. RAILWAY

WILL BE OBLIGED TO DEAD-END MANY LINES.

Merrimack square is to be torn up by the sewer department Wednesday morning, and the Boston & Northern street railway will be obliged to dead-end most of their lines at the nearest point to the transfer station. The Westford street, Chelmsford Centre, Lawrence street, North Chelmsford and Tyngsboro cars will start from the corner of Central and Merrimack streets. The Boston lines via Woburn and Lexington will run through Prescott street both ways. The Belvidere lines, High street, Oaklands and the Boston cars via Reading will make their terminus at corner of Prescott and East Merrimack streets, and the Christian hill line will go as far as the corner of Bridge and Merrimack streets. The Broadway, Moody street, Pawtucketville, Highland and Varnum avenue lines will run as far as where the sewer is being constructed in Merrimack square. Passengers will be obliged to transfer from car to car while the sewer is under construction, and which will take between thirty and forty days.

### INTERESTING LECTURE

"Northern Italy" is the most beautiful and picturesque part of Italy, the scenery of the Italian lakes is especially attractive and has been praised in poetry and prose for many centuries. Venice also belongs to this portion of the country, and a wealth of legend and lore has gathered about this queen city of the seas. Milan is famous for its cathedral and its painting of the "Last Supper." Northern Italy furnishes the subject for the first lecture in the course of six illustrated lectures by Rev. Geo. F. Kennedy in the First Trinitarian Congregational church, Dutton street, on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. The lecture will be illustrated by 150 choice views, many of them colored, made by the best artists in Italy and Switzerland.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## THE CHICAGO CUBS

Won the Second Game in the  
World's Series

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—The second game for the championship of the world between the Detroit Tigers and the Chicago Cubs was played here yesterday afternoon before a big crowd and was won by Chicago, 6 to 1.

The score would indicate a one-sided contest, but such was not the case. Not a run was made on either side until the eighth inning. Then the Chicago team in a brilliant sport scored six of its seven hits, including a double, a triple and a home run.

Here was a remarkable reversal of form. "Wild Bill" Donovan had allowed only one scratch hit in seven innings, and this by Overall in the seventh.

The crowd was amazed at the remarkable performance of the veteran pitcher. Seven men had gone down on strikes, and it looked like a sure victory for the Tigers if they could but score one run.

Overall, however, was there pitching a grand, good game and receiving the support of a great infield. He seemed to show improved form as the game went on, and the crowd was prepared for a long drawn-out game.

The climax came in the eighth. With one man out, Hoffman got to first on a scratch infield single, and on the first ball pitched, started for second on the hit and run play. Donovan was laying for just such a move, and shot a ball

both high and wide for his catcher, but Tinker was forced to hit as his partner was off for second, and with a long reach he met the ball close to the end of his bat and away it went to right field. Cobb started for it, slipped, regained his form, and finally got his only to see the ball soar into the seats, reaching and finally drop into the seats, being good for a home run.

The scene that followed was worth a trip from Boston to see. The crowd rose up and howled for several minutes. Two runs were in and the game as good as won. Hugh Jennings claimed that he had agreed to call all hits that went into the short bleachers two bases, but this was not allowed, as the fence was a temporary structure.

The game was delayed for fully 10 minutes. The Chicago players fairly hugged Tinker and jumped around like a lot of kittens at play, while the Tigers looked disgusted over the sudden turn of affairs, which came at a time when their chances looked the brightest.

The game was over for "Wild Bill," and he finished by pitching a straight ball, refusing to use his remarkable curve that had the Cubs "buffaloed" for seven innings.

The inning was finished after the Cubs had added four more runs, 10



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Evers, 2b	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Schulte, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Chance, 1b	3	0	0	0	12	1	0
Steinfeldt, c	4	0	0	0	1	1	0
Hoffman, 3b	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Tinker, ss	3	1	1	1	4	2	1
Kling, e	3	1	1	2	0	0	0
Downs, p	3	0	1	1	0	3	0
Overall, p	3	0	1	1	0	3	0
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Cobb, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0	0
Rossman, 1b	4	0	0	0	8	1	0
Schaefer, 3b	3	0	2	2	0	1	0
Schmidt, c	3	0	1	1	7	0	0
Downs, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
Donovan, p	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
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DETROIT, Oct. 12.—Chicago defeated Detroit Saturday in the first of the series of games for the world's championship. The story of the game is given below:

First Inning.

Chicago—Sheppard doubled to right field, Cobb falling in the wet grass as he reached for the ball. Evers struck out. Schulte out, Schaefer to Rossman. Sheppard taking third. Chance walked. Chance steals second. Hoffman filed to Crawford. No runs.

Detroit—As Detroit came to bat the rain was falling heavily. McIntyre singled over third base. O'Leary struck out. Crawford struck out. McIntyre stole second. Cobb singled over third base, scoring McIntyre but was thrown out. Sheppard to Evers. One run.

Second Inning

Chicago—Hoffman out. Downs to Rossman. Tinker filed to Crawford who made a wonderful one-hand catch. Kling walked. Reubach forced King. O'Leary to Downs. No runs.

Detroit—Rossman out. Tinker to Chance. Schaefer filed to Hoffman. Schmidt out. Reubach to Chance. No runs.

Third Inning

Chicago—Before Sheppard came to bat a dozen bushes of sawdust were sprinkled around the plate and the pitcher's box. The rain is falling heavily. Sheppard doubled over first base. Evers bunted toward third endeavoring to sacrifice but Schaefer fell and Evers was safe. Sheppard taking third. Schulte singled between first and second scoring Sheppard. Evers taking second. Manager Jennings sent Summers out to warm up. Chance bunted and Killian threw Evers out at third. Chance being safe at first.

Steinfeldt singled to left, scoring Schulte and took second while Chance took third on poor handling of the throw. Hoffman walked, filing the bases. Tinker hit to Downs. Kling hit to second. Chance scoring on the play. Tinker then stole second. Kling hit to third a slow bouncer which slipped through Schaefer's hands. Steinfeldt scoring.

Kling tried to steal but was out. Schmidt to Downs. Four runs.

Detroit—Tinker made a wonderful stop of Downs' grounder, throwing him out to Chance. Summers struck out. McIntyre fouled to Kling. No runs.

Fourth Inning

Chicago—Reubach struck out. Sheppard singled to second. His third out. Evers sacrificed. Summers to Rossman. Schulte filed to McIntyre. No runs.

Detroit—O'Leary out. Tinker to Chance. Crawford lined to Evers. Cobb out. Evers to Chance. No runs.

Fifth Inning

Chicago—Chance fouled to Schmidt. Steinfeldt walked. Hoffman forced Steinfeldt. O'Leary to Downs. Tinker was out. Schaefer to Rossman. No runs.

Detroit—Rossman struck out. Schaefer hit a high fly to Sheppard. Schmidt filed to Hoffman. No runs.

Sixth Inning

Chicago—Kling filed to McIntyre who made a pretty run out. Reubach out. Reubach out to Downs to Rossman. Sheppard filed to McIntyre. No runs.

Detroit—Downs bunted to Reubach who threw him out at first. Summers hit to Reubach who threw him out at first. McIntyre hit the ball into the mud in front of the plate and it rolled out of Kling's reach. O'Leary singled. Crawford hit a little grounder to Reubach who retired him easily at first. No runs.

Seventh Inning

Chicago—The rain had ceased somewhat at the beginning of the seventh inning. Evers hit a grounder to Rossman and was safe when Rossman waited too long for Summers to cover the bag. Schulte sacrificed. Summers to Rossman. Downs fumbled Chance's grounder and was safe at first. Evers taking third. Steinfeldt filed to Crawford and Evers scored. Reubach was taken out and Overall put in to pitch.

McIntyre was hit by pitched ball. O'Leary filed to Schulte. Three runs. Score: Chicago, 5; Detroit, 4.

Eighth Inning

Tinker singled to right and went to second on a slow throw in. Kling sacrificed. Summers to Rossman. Tinker got to third. Overall struck out. Sheppard was thrown out at first by O'Leary. No runs.

Crawford walked. Overall was taken out and Brown went in the box. Crawford advanced to second on a wild pitch. Cobb was safe when Chance dropped Brown's throw of Cobb's hunt. Crawford taking third. Rossman doubled over second, scoring Crawford. Cobb went to third and then scored when Hoffman's throw went wild. Schaefer out. Kling to Chance.

Rossman took third on the play. Schmidt out. Evers to Chance. Downs filed to Hoffman. Detroit 2 runs.

Ninth Inning

Chicago—Rossman retired Evers unassisted on a grounder. Schulte hits a fly on the ground to O'Leary. Chance singled over second. Steinfeldt singled over third, bases now filled. Hoffman hit safely to left, scoring Schulte and Chance. Tinker bunted safely in front of the plate. Schmidt, falling down and Steinfeldt scoring. Hoffman and Tinker worked a double seal. Kling singled to center scoring Hoffman and Tinker.

Brown sacrificed. Summers to Rossman. Sheppard filed to Crawford. Five runs.

Detroit failed to score in the ninth inning.

FUNNYLAND

"A Daughter of Erin" is a somewhat different story of Ireland is the leading picture in Funland today. It is an unusual story produced, cleverly acted and the scenery shown is excellent. "Heart of a Hero" is a most laughable burlesque of the celebrated Salome dance, and "The Two Great Gies" is a stereoscopic dramatic picture. The songs are "I'm My Heart When I See Your Eyes" and "Heart of My Heart."

## CHICAGO CUBS - CITY PHYSICIAN

Common Council Will  
Try It Tomorrow

Democrats remember that only three days remain for registration today and tomorrow from 1 to 3 and 7 to 9 and on Wednesday from noon until 10 o'clock.

See that your name is on the voting list by Wednesday at the latest for this is presidential year.

### Street Excavations

The committee on ordinances and legislation will meet tomorrow evening before the meeting of the common council to act upon Ald. Gray's proposed ordinance relative







# GOVERNORS CONFER CALLED TO COURT

## Preservation of New England's Resources Was Discussed Selectmen Charged With Receiving More Than Salaries

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—An official statement regarding the conference of New England governors held Saturday afternoon at the Algonquin club, was given out last night by Frank L. Dean, the secretary of the conference, with the authorization of the governors of Massachusetts, Connecticut, Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine, and the governor-elect of Maine. The statement in part follows:

"For the first time in the history of New England as far as known, the governors of every New England state met in conference at the Algonquin club on Saturday afternoon at the invitation of Governor Guild, and definitely decided upon the program for the coming conference on the preservation of New England's resources. There is a peculiar bond which unites the New England states not only in community of aspiration but even in material interests. Though the experiment was somewhat sensational, the conference of governors brought out a most remarkable harmony of feeling and in every case the details of the program adopted met with unanimous approval. It was generally agreed that there were great possibilities of advantage to the entire section.

"The representation of the various states was confirmed as follows:

"That the governors should themselves participate in it and should invite as members the lieutenant-governors, the attorney general, the presidents of New England states, and speakers of New England houses of representatives, together with the members of congress and senators from New England. To those official members of the conference it was decided that the governors of the different states should add prominent citizens, representing the various walks of life to the number of two for each representative in congress and two for each senator from New England states.

"It was decided that if anything was to be accomplished, the subjects of discussion must of necessity be rigidly

restricted. The three topics of discussion for this, the first conference of its kind, will be tree planting, the protection of shell fish and the construction and maintenance of state highways, together with the regulation and taxation of automobiles.

"Tree planting will occupy the attention of the conference on the first day, the protection of lobsters, clams and other shell fish on the second day, and the construction and maintenance of highways, with the possibility of uniform regulation and taxation of automobiles, on the third day. In each case expert specialists are to be invited by the governors to address the meeting. It is expected that a discussion which will be restricted to the accredited delegates will follow.

"In regard to tree planting, the experts invited will not merely discuss the planting of forest trees and the extension of forest tracts, but also attention will be given to the planting of fruit trees and the extension and improvement of New England orchards.

"It was discovered that the widest discrepancy exists in the state laws of New England in regard to shell fish, particularly lobsters. The difference of law in the various states will be made clear and experts of international reputation will be asked to establish, if possible, a uniform policy for the retention and extension of this important source of food supply.

"On the third day attention will be given not merely to methods of construction and materials of road building, but particularly to the establishment of interstate trunk lines of thoroughfares, running logical and carefully prepared routes from one great center of New England to another and to the confines of this section.

"The widest difference of state laws in regard to automobiles and even in regard to the principles of their regulation, will be pointed out. It is hoped, among other things, that a uniform method of automobile regulation, if not of taxation, may be adopted for all New England.

All of these meetings will be thrown open to the public.

METHUEN, Oct. 12.—Considerable of a sensation was created Saturday afternoon when Sheriff Abbott of Lawrence served summonses on selectmen M. F. Emerson, Henry N. Hall and Samuel Rushton and Town Treasurer J. S. Howe to appear in court at Salem today. Treas. Howe stated that Col. Sweeney, counsel for the defendants, had arranged for their appearance Wednesday instead of today.

The selectmen and town treasurer have been summoned into court as a result of a bill filed by a number of citizens, including John Welch, C. H. Hall, Loren O. Norris, Alfred C. Gaunt, Clinton A. Clark, L. P. Smith, S. K. Novell, Arthur J. Crosby, and A. E. Heald, for an injunction to prevent the selectmen from drawing any more salaries and to prevent Town Treas. Howe from paying them any more money. The bill also asks that Mr. Howe pay back to the town all over \$400 which he has paid to each of the selectmen.

At a town meeting last March it was voted to employ a clerk to the selectmen at \$800 a year. It was also voted that the selectmen be paid \$400 each for the performance of the duties of selectmen and assessors. It is now claimed that the selectmen have drawn orders for their salaries in excess of this amount and that they have been paid by the town treasurer.

There is a law that assessors shall be paid \$3.50 for a day's work and it is said that the selectmen were informed after the vote of the town last spring that if they desired they could draw the \$400 for their services as selectmen and collect \$3.50 a day for the time they worked at assessors.

Town Treasurer Howe yesterday said that the law providing that he should not pay out any money in excess of the appropriations was a hard one to contend with. The selectmen draw all orders and keep the town books, he said, so that he has no means of knowing whether or not the appropriations are being exceeded. The orders for their salaries had come along as usual to him and he had paid them. Mr. Howe, as well as the selectmen, is considerably wrought up over the matter. The action to reduce the salaries of the selectmen was taken after they were duly elected last spring, and at the time many citizens claimed it was an unfair proceeding. Others, however, claimed that if the selectmen did not want to submit to it they had the opportunity to resign.

The attempt to secure an injunction will probably result in a general controversy over town affairs, as many of the townspeople approve of the action of the plaintiffs, and many others are in sympathy with the selectmen.

## BOY FOUND DEAD

Lowell Lad Died in a Barn

FALL RIVER, Oct. 12.—A bank book on a Lowell institution which bore the name of Royal R. Phelps was found on the body of a 17-year-old boy found dead in the barn of Medical Examiner Thomas F. Gunning yesterday.

The young man came here three weeks ago, and upon entering the physician's employ gave the name of Edward Sands. When he retired Saturday night he was apparently in good health. Death was due to an attack of heart disease.

## IN MEMORIAM

APPRECIATIVE MEMORIAL OF FANNIE MARIA CLARK 1850-1908.

Shortly after daybreak on Monday, Oct. 5, 1908, as the rising sun was slowly dispelling the thick mists which lay like a pall over the land, the spirit of a noble woman, freed from its earthly dwelling place, passed into that realm beyond, which though invisible is none the less real. Long years of association with Miss Clark led me to respect and appreciate her, and to realize the strong influence of an unassuming, devoted life. I feel that that life should be more widely known; that its simplicity, its purity, and its wholeness should be recognized; and that the memory of a devoted teacher should ever be held in loving remembrance.

Born of a sturdy New England ancestry, reared in a Christian home where the daily reading of the Bible and family prayer were but the outward symbols of a deep spirituality, trained to service in the church, educated in the common schools, Miss Clark grew to womanhood, and entered upon her life work with earnestness, enthusiasm, and faith. How well for thirty-four years she performed that work in this city, with what thoroughness and determination she pursued her allotted task, but the patience and persistence she labored at her desk long after the school day was ended, and but little known except to those with whom she was intimately associated. Stern and uncompromising in all her dealings, she swerved neither to the right nor to the left in the performance of her duty. Yet underneath this strict observance of the law lay a heart as tender as a mother's love, and a spirit as gentle and forgiving as that of a loving child. Charitable in her judgments, temperate in her speech, she stored no malice in her heart.

Miss Clark was always cheerful and happy, ever looking on the bright side of things, and never complaining of the hardships of her work, though, as I knew, her burdens were often many. An hour before her death she bade her sister a cheerful "Good morning," as she entered the sick chamber, and I know that had her friends been privileged to say to Miss Clark their last adieu, she would have said: "Say not good night," but in some brighter time.

"Bid me Good morning." Many of Miss Clark's former pupils, now men and women grown, have told me of the debt they owed to her for her thorough and rigorous instruction, and have brought their children to school with the request that they be assigned to her room. Mindful of her straightforwardness, earnestness, conscientiousness and cheerfulness, I would write as her epitaph:

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Highland School, Charles W. Morey.

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## BRAVE WOMAN

WAS SAVED BY THE LIFE CREW

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Waterlogged, her rails just appearing above the water and threatening every minute to capsize, the schooner Mary Brewer, from Bangor, was towed into port yesterday afternoon.

Taking her turn at the wheel and even helping the men at the pumps to keep the little craft afloat all Saturday night, Mrs. Edna Callahan, wife of the captain, did yeoman service. Much against her will she was taken off the sinking craft with her four-year-old son, Robert, by the life saving crew at Nahant, when the vessel was off Swampscott yesterday morning.

**COUPLE GONE**  
IT IS BELIEVED THAT THEY HAVE ELOPED

WORCESTER, Oct. 12.—Upon complaint of Frank E. Wilson of Haverhill, Mass., a warrant was issued for Charles H. Stanley of Oxford, Officers Fortin and Bedard of Oxford came to Worcester and were successful in tracing Charles H. Stanley and Mrs. Frank E. Wilson, who are believed to have eloped in an automobile Saturday.

Word was telephoned to the Worcester police, but they failed to head off the couple.

The Oxford officers believe the couple

will travel in their automobile to New York, where Mrs. Wilson has a brother-in-law, William Sackett. Word was telegraphed all along the route yesterday to look out for the couple.

**SHOT IN FACE**  
HUNTER THOUGHT THAT BOY WAS A SQUIRREL

LEWISTON, Me., Oct. 12.—As a result of being mistaken for a squirrel, Thomas McBride, aged 15 years, is lying in a critical condition at the Central Maine hospital in this city, where the physicians said last night they feared he would lose the sight of both eyes. McBride, with Adjutor Rogers, aged 17 years, was squirrel hunting Saturday near the South River road, when he climbed a tree to frighten a squirrel. When the branches moved Rogers mistook McBride's foot for the squirrel and fired, the charge of a striking McBride in the face and upper part of the body.

**GRANITEVILLE**  
The Graniteville Methodist church, after having been closed for several weeks in order that necessary repairs might be made, was reopened yesterday with interesting services conducted by the pastor and former pastors of the church.

The opening service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. S. H. Armand, assisted by Rev. H. A. Evans, who was the first pastor of the church. Rev. Mr. Evans also assisted at the communion service. The sermon was preached by Rev. Dr. C. F. Rice, district superintendent, who spoke from Acts 26:19 "Whereupon O King Agrippa, I was not disobedient to the heavenly vision."

The love feast service held from six to seven o'clock was conducted by Rev. Alfred Woods, a former pastor in Graniteville, but now of Newburyport, Mass.

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BASEMENT

## FOUND IN RUINS STATE POLICE

The Bones of Five Bodies Recovered Will Hold Convention Here Next Week

RICHFORD, Vt., Oct. 12.—The bones of five bodies were unearthed yesterday by the workmen who are overhauling the ruins of the elevator. None of these can be identified, but other bones which were found on the Canadian Pacific railroad tracks are supposed to be those of Mrs. Jelliffe, one of the victims who was walking there at the time of the explosion.

The railroad company had a gang of nearly 50 men at work upon the ruins yesterday, and a stream of water was pouring steadily upon the flames all day. It made little impression upon the fire, which gradually burned itself out. A rain Saturday night checked the fire materially and made the possibility of the flames spreading more remote.

Solemn and impressive services were held in the Protestant churches yesterday in memory of the missing Protestant dead, and in the Catholic churches for those of that church.

## POTTS DEAD

HE WAS INJURED DURING A FOOT-BALL GAME

CANNONSBURG, Pa., Oct. 12.—William M. Potts, the football player who was injured in a game here on October 3, died yesterday, after having been unconscious since last Monday. He was seized with convulsions for the second time Saturday and an operation brought no relief.

Potts, who was 21 years old, played on the Scholastic team. During a game with the High school eleven he was kicked on the head.

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## SHOT TO DEATH

Negro's Body Was Riddled With Bullets

EMPIRE, Ga., Oct. 12.—A negro named Henry White was shot to death by a mob at Youker, six miles from here Saturday. White started out on his way to meet another negro, whom he shot and wounded for refusing to join him in his expedition. He went on to Allen's home and shot him and his wife. A posse captured White and placed him in the lockup. Saturday night a band of unknown men took White from the lockup, carried him about a mile from Youker, tied him to a tree and riddled him with bullets.

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## GREAT STRUGGLE BAD FIRE SCARE

Men Fought 535 Feet Blaze in the White House Stable

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Atop the great iron tower at the Brooklyn end of the Williamsburg bridge a thrilling struggle was waged yesterday while hundreds of persons looked on from below.

An insane man who had climbed the tower watchman, climbed an iron stairway to the tower, 535 feet above the East river, and was preparing to leap into the river when two policemen climbed up after him. The man turned upon the bluecoats with a razor and then on the narrow footing at the dizzy height a ten-minute fight took place which held all who witnessed it speechless with horror. The trio were leaning on the verge of destruction, and now backed in the center of the small platform before the man was overpowered. Then he was handcuffed to a policeman and taken, still struggling, down the tower ladders.

At the eastern district hospital the prisoner gave his name as Joseph Kratz, 24 years old. He was placed in a padded cell.

## A PROTEST

SENT TO OFFICIALS OF N. Y. N. H. & H.

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Between 400 and 500 conductors and trainmen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad held an indignation meeting yesterday and framed a protest to be forwarded to the officials of the road against conductors being compelled to work on both passenger and freight trains. It was claimed the organization's agreement with the road provided for separation of passenger and freight conductors and that the mixing of the two was dangerous and compelled longer hours and less compensation.

**\$20,000 LOSS**

BIG BOBBIN MILL WAS DESTROYED BY FIRE

LISBON, N. H., Oct. 12.—The James S. Moore Bobbin and Peg mill, with a large quantity of manufactured stock, was practically destroyed by fire yesterday, causing a loss of \$20,000. The plant was insured for \$8000. Thirty hands were thrown out of work.

## THE AWARDS

For Exhibits at the Tuberculosis Congress

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Awards to successful competitors participating in the great exhibition which formed a vital part of the recent international congress of tuberculosis, were announced yesterday by Dr. John S. Fulton, secretary-general of the congress, and Dr. Henry Boyer, chairman of the committee on exhibition, in a report to Dr. Lawrence F. Flick, chairman of the board of judges, consisting of Dr. Elmer E. Brown, United States commissioner of education as president; Dr. Frank T. Fulton, of Providence, R. I., as secretary, and twelve committee.

The Brompton hospital, London, won the \$1000 prize for the best exhibit of a hospital for the treatment of advanced pulmonary tuberculosis, and gold medals were awarded to the Loomis sanatorium, Liberty, N. Y., and the Massachusetts state hospital, Tewksbury, Mass.

New York won the gold medal for the best exhibit at the home of Secretary Mahan in Manchester street.

Considerable business of importance was transacted and it was voted to hold the next meeting at the home of Frank Doherty in Penn avenue.

After the meeting the members enjoyed a banquet luncheon, Miss Marzetti, a Cuban pianist, gave the following program was carried out: Piano duet, "Frank Rogers and J. Mahan; song, "King of the Winds."

Francia club quartet, consisting of Messrs. Wm. Uoherty, Mullin and La-Journeuse. Acting President Doherty spoke ably on "The Club of Clubs."

## MANY INJURED

Riot Followed Attack on Strike Breaker

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—A number of persons were injured and windows at the Hotel Knickerbocker on Broadway broken last night in a riot which followed an attack made on Albert Lind, a strike-breaking chauffeur, employed by the New York Taxi-cab company. A crowd of 500 persons, sympathizers with the striking chauffeurs, hurled stones, sticks and other missiles at the chauffeur, who took refuge in the doorway of the hotel. The taxi-cab was wrecked and three windows of the main dining room of the hotel were shattered. The guests of the Knickerbocker fled from the room in panic.

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# RALLY SUNDAY

## Observed in Several Local Protestant Churches Yesterday

Yesterday was rally day in the Protestant churches and there was a large Sunday school attendance. There were 73 in the First Baptist school and it was a big day at the First Baptist church. Rev. Dr. Wallace addressed the school and five persons were baptized at the evening service. An excellent program was given.

Mrs. W. H. Peppin sang. There were remarks as follows: William Peppin, "Why a boy should go to Sunday school"; Norris Tibbels, "Why a young man should go to Sunday school"; D. J. Cowan, "Why a father should go to Sunday school"; and Deacon William Bass, "Why a grandfather should go to Sunday school."

Highland hall, their temporary meeting place, was the scene, yesterday of the annual rally day services of the Branch Street Baptist Sunday school, and there were 220 present. There were selections by the quartet, words of greeting by Mr. A. E. Pease of the First Baptist Sunday school of Malden, and remarks by Rev. Charles A. Merrill.

A pleasing feature of the occasion was the presentation of certificates to those who had won the gold pin in Little's cross and crown system. This pin represented 18 months of perfect attendance

and four officers, nine teachers and 33 pupils won them.

A souvenir was given to each one present which was a pin with the inscription, Branch Street Baptist Sunday School, Rally Day, 1908, and the school motto, "Better work for Christ and more of it."

**First Presbyterian**  
There were tables galore at the First Presbyterian church in Appleton street yesterday. It was a novel service by the Sunday school with a rally of the cradle roll. There were more than forty babies there and the children's choir sang several songs. Rev. J. M. Craig addressed the mothers who were present with their babies, taking as his subject "Mothers' Training."

**Centralville M. E. Church**  
Yesterday was rally day at the Centralville M. E. church and last night the Sunday school held a harvest supper. P. E. Tollins is superintendent of the school and seven children were graduated from the primary department of which Miss Mollie Johnson is the teacher. There was a fine program and the affair was a great success.

## TWO THOUSAND FANS

### Filled Merrimack Square During Ball Game

Two thousand enthusiastic base ball fans were present in Merrimack square Saturday afternoon to listen to the megaphoned returns and see the bulletined returns of the first game of the post season series between Chicago, winner of the National league pennant, and Detroit, winner of the American league pennant.

The crowd was so large that it was necessary for Sgt. Maguire, Patrolmen Ryan and Bumps, assisted by several other officers, to keep constantly on the alert in order to keep the crossings cleared and prevent people from obstructing the car traffic.

That the local admirers have taken a great deal of interest in the national game was very evident and considerable money changed hands on the hits, runs and the result of the game. Chicago was the favorite, the betting being about 10 to 7, and while it was thought that Detroit had a fighting chance inasmuch as the game was played on the home grounds where Chicago scored four runs in the third inning, there was a general slump in the Detroit stock and the people who had even taken the short end on Detroit were mourning the loss of their money.

The systematic arrangement provided by The Sun in giving the game in detail to the public was greatly appreciated by the fans and those who were not present in the square kept The Sun's telephone busy during the afternoon inquiring for the score.

Of course the crowd in the square

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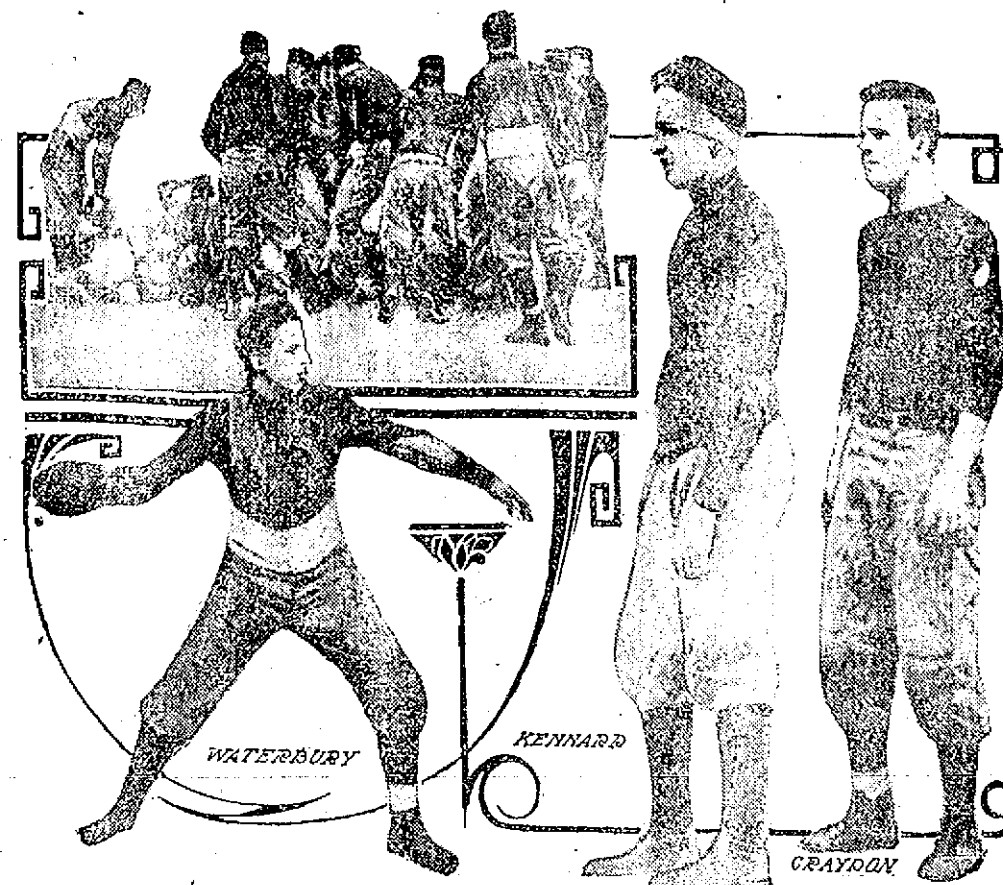
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## HARVARD VARSITY SQUAD AND THREE PLAYERS



CAMBRIDGE, Oct. 12.—Coach Houghton of Harvard put the varsity team to the hardest of tests in preparation for the game with Williams, which was really the first contest

## BURGLARS ESCAPE

### They Blew Open Safe but Failed to Get Any Cash

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 12.—Safe crackers made a bold break in the Providence public market, a large-sized branch establishment at 35 and 37 South Main street, yesterday in broad daylight. The break occurred at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The front of the large safe, fronting the street, was blown off, but the crooks hurried away without getting any part of the \$2500 in cash which the market had taken in Saturday afternoon and evening.

While the face of the safe was shattered, the inner door of steel stood strong and the robbers were unable to get any part of the large amount of money which they apparently knew was in the vault. The explosion was heavy enough to blow out the front of the brick building and shatter most of the interior.

The tools were left behind, as was also a parcel of gunpowder. The safe

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## LOWELL CITY LIBRARY

Sealed Proposals

For cleaning and painting the library rooms will be received by the trustees of the city library. Specifications may be had at the office of the city librarian. All proposals for the work are to be submitted in writing and left at the office of the city librarian on or before 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, Oct. 17th. The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

## THE SCHEDULE OF THE A. G. POLLARD CANDLE PIN LEAGUE

The following is a schedule of games to be played in the A. G. Pollard Candle Pin League:

Tuesday, Oct. 13.—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.

Wednesday, Oct. 14.—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery

Tuesday, Oct. 20.—Dress Goods vs. Drapery

Wednesday, Oct. 21.—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Oct. 27.—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery

Wednesday, Oct. 28.—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Nov. 3.—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.

Wednesday, Nov. 4.—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery

Tuesday, Nov. 10.—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery

Wednesday, Nov. 11.—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Nov. 17.—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery

Wednesday, Nov. 18.—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Nov. 24.—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.

Wednesday, Nov. 25.—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery

Tuesday, Dec. 1.—Dress Goods vs. Drapery

Wednesday, Dec. 2.—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Dec. 8.—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery

Wednesday, Dec. 9.—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Dec. 15.—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.

Wednesday, Dec. 16.—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery

Tuesday, Dec. 22.—Dress Goods vs. Drapery

Wednesday, Dec. 23.—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Jan. 4.—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery

Wednesday, Jan. 5.—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Jan. 11.—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.

Wednesday, Jan. 12.—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery

Tuesday, Jan. 18.—Dress Goods vs. Drapery

Wednesday, Jan. 19.—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.

## BOYS' TENNIS

### SOME GOOD MATCHES WERE PLAYED SATURDAY

The boys' tennis tournament, scratch doubles, held Saturday on the Hockmeyer courts, resulted in some excellent matches. The attendance of spectators was very large and the various good plays made by the different players were well applauded.

The results of the rounds were as follows:

First round: Joe Meigs and Jack Robertson beat William Reilly and Crosby Wallace, 6-4, 6-2; Norman Brazer and Percy Parker, Jr., beat Truman Safford and Teddy Hobson, 6-3, 6-3; Hildreth Meigs and Roger Eastman beat Ralph Coburn and Victor Hockmeyer, 6-4, 6-4; Fred Church and Clive Hockmeyer beat Roswell Whidden and Henry Sturges, 6-3, 6-3.

Second round: Meigs and Robertson beat Brazer and Parker, 6-3, 7-5; Church and Hockmeyer beat Meigs and Eastman, 6-3, 6-2.

Final round: Meigs and Robertson beat Church and Hockmeyer, 6-3, 6-2, 6-2.

The winners take the two first cups and the losers the two second cups.

Consolation, first round: Safford and Hobson beat Reilly and Wallace, 6-4, 6-4; Meigs and Hockmeyer beat Whidden and Sturges, 7-5, 7-5.

Final round: Coburn and Hockmeyer beat Safford and Hobson, 6-3, 7-5.

## BOXING GOSSIP

The bouts for the week are:

Tonight—Frank Adams vs. Tommy Dawson at Salem; Tom Sawyer vs. Delfield Walcott at Portland, Me.; George Mearns vs. Johnny Thompson at Racine, Wis.; Eddie Kennedy vs. Fred Broad at Philadelphia; Young Otto vs. unknown at New York; intercity bouts, Saturday.

Brooklyn boxers, at Bedford A. C., Brooklyn: Mike Gannon vs. Johnny Murray at West End A. C.; Eddie Morse vs. Joe Farmer at Manhattan A. C., New York.

Tuesday—Joe Costa vs. Kid Murphy at New York; John Conlon vs. Eddie Doyle and Young McGovern at Philadelphia; Marty Kalavala vs. Kid Sullivan at New York; Bill McKinnon vs. Bartley Connolly at Dover, N. H.

Wednesday—Wayne A. C. bouts, at Philadelphia: Joe Turner vs. Frank Lynch at Washington, D. C.; Johnnie Polan vs. Harry Scroggs at Joseph, E. J. Jack Robinson vs. Bill McKinnon at Lymansville, R. I.

Thursday—Jimmy Gardner vs. Charley Selger at New York; Young Mack vs. Sunny Decker at Baltimore bouts at the Broadway A. C. of Philadelphia.

Fred Ward vs. Lew Powell, Oakland, Cal.; Young Fred Corbett vs. Charles Crain Miller at Philadelphia.

Friday—Bill McKinnon vs. Chicago Jack Robinson at Lymansville, R. I.; Jim Stewart vs. Kid McCoy at New York; Joe Walcott vs. Bill Hurley at North Adams, Mass.; Stato and Ontario A. C. Philadelphia; 12-star shows.

Saturday—Jim Convey vs. Frank Klaus at Brooklyn, N. Y.; bouts at the National A. C. of Philadelphia: Mickey Gannon vs. against best man that can be got.

## POLO LEAGUE

### SCHEDULE WAS ADOPTED AT YESTERDAY'S MEETING

WORCESTER, Oct. 12.—The National Roller Polo league met in the Day State house yesterday and adopted a schedule for the first two weeks of the season which opens October 13.

The transfer of the Waterbury, Conn. team to Salem, Mass., was ratified. The schedule adopted follows:

October 13, Hartford at Bridgeport, New Britain at New Haven; Worcester at Providence, Pawtucket at Fall River.

October 20, Hartford at New Britain, Providence at Pawtucket, Salem at Brockton.

October 21, New Britain at Hartford, Fall River at Providence, Brockton at Salem, Pawtucket at Worcester.

October 22, New Haven at Bridgeport, Brockton at Fall River.

October 23, Bridgeport at New Haven, Providence at Salem, Worcester at Pawtucket.

October 24, Bridgeport at Hartford, New Britain at New Haven, Fall River at Worcester, Salem at Providence, Pawtucket at Brockton.

October 25, New Britain at Bridgeport, Hartford at New Haven, Salem at Fall River, Pawtucket at Providence, Brockton at Worcester.

October 26, New Britain at Hartford, New Haven at New Britain, Fall River at Worcester, Salem at Providence, Pawtucket at Brockton.

October 27, Providence at Pawtucket, Brockton at Worcester, Worcester at Pawtucket, Pawtucket at Brockton.

October 28, New Haven at Bridgeport, Providence at Fall River.

October 29, New Britain at Hartford, Bridgeport at New Haven, Worcester at Salem, Fall River at Pawtucket.

October 30, Hartford at New Britain, Pawtucket at Worcester.

## CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to thank those who kindly assisted us in the bereavement of our dear father, our kind and loving mother. Especially to those who sent floral tributes, and also to our kind neighbors who were so helpful.

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William J. Pendergast,  
Mary A. Pendergast.

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## RODIN'S STATUE

Will be Brought to This City

The American replica celebrated Rodin statue of Whistler, will be placed in Lowell, the birthplace of the great artist. Secretary Harrison S. Morris of the American committee in charge of the statue, sent word to this city to that effect on Saturday.

Representatives of the Lowell Art association, visited New York during the week and conferred with Joseph Penell, a member of the international committee in charge of the statue. Half a dozen cities were bidding for the honor, but Lowell had the best claim as the birthplace of Whistler, while the committee guaranteed the amount of money necessary to get the statue here.

This money was collected here last week and many men desirous of helping the cause, pledged temporary gifts to swell the funds, while others donated permanent gifts.

As usual Frederick Fanning Ayer of New York contributed handsomely and permanently as may be seen from the following letter received by the local committee, to wit:

"I am more than pleased to know that you have secured the promises of citizens of Lowell of \$2500, to erect a monument to Mr. Whistler. Lowell is justly proud that she has given birth to a great artist, and should do him honor. To secure a genuine work of art for Lowell adds double zest to the enterprise in which, I doubt not, all Lowell will respond, to the end that the triumph of genius over opposing forces may not be forgotten, but be loftily recorded for the emulation of them that come after."

"Allow me to add the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) to the total you are promised, with the understanding that this amount shall constitute by subscription to said monument outright, no part of which is to be repaid to me hereafter."

"Believe me always,  
Sincerely yours,  
"FREDERICK F. AYER"

The permanent gifts to the fund including Mr. Ayer's generous offering, aggregate \$750, leaving about \$1250 to be raised by popular subscription. All Lowell is invited to subscribe to the fund and any amount will be acceptable. Subscribers should be sent to Arthur T. Safford, 29 Talbot street, treasurer of the Lowell Art association.

The statue has been described as being "a life-size bronze figure of fame surmounting a boulder, or stone, on the face of which stone appears a medallion portrait of Mr. Whistler, also in bronze."



## MIDDLESEX CO. A. O. H.

## Held Biennial Convention in This City Yesterday

## 53 Divisions, Represented by 250 Delegates, Took Part in Proceedings—John F. Donnelly of Cambridge is Re-elected County President

The Middlesex county A. O. H. turned out in large numbers at the biennial convention held yesterday in A. O. H. hall, this city, about 250 delegates, representing 53 divisions, being present. The session was one of the most important and enthusiastic in the history of the county organization.

## President Donnelly's Address

County President Donnelly spoke in part as follows: "Once again after two years we meet in county convention assembled. The past two years have been eventful ones inasmuch as many new ideas advanced at our last convention at East Cambridge, which were hitherto discussed in a theoretical sense, have been put into active practice. We have obeyed the declaration and desires of that convention as manifested in the legislation it achieved, and today we report on the fruits of our labors, and feel that we can be well satisfied with the results accomplished."

The progress of the order in this county both numerically, financially and otherwise has been highly satisfactory. We may not have realized our highest ideals but we have at least made splendid progress in the effort to do so. Our standing as a Catholic fraternal order was never higher. We enjoy the friendship, esteem, confidence and good will of the priests, bishops and other prelates of our church to an extent hitherto unknown in our history. They have manifested their interest and concern for our welfare giving us words of kindly encouragement and advice. The eloquent words of approbation and praise uttered from hundreds of pulpits during the past two years is the best evidence of our standing in their confidence and esteem."

## Only Pastors as Chaplains

Our Most Reverend Archbishop O'Connell has made a ruling that in the future none but pastors will be appointed to the office of county chaplain, thus depriving this county of the services of our beloved Father Flynn, a fact I know each and every member of the convention will learn with regret."

He is a man of sterling qualities and a priest who was ever honest with his opinions and advice for the best interests of the organization and ready and willing at all times to go to any part of the county to help build up the order. I personally wish to extend to him my most sincere thanks for the kindly advice and able assistance he has given me many times during the past four years in my endeavor to bring the organization to the highest standard. The reports of my colleagues on the county board, Brothers Conney and Gavin, show the financial standing of the order. Both have been thorough and painstaking in discharging the duties of their offices. To them and all other members of our county board, who have so kindly shared the burden of the labors and offered advice on many important matters, and to whom a debt of gratitude is due I wish to personally extend my kindest wishes and assure them that I shall ever remember with great pleasure my associations with them as fellow members of the county board."

## Increase in Membership

In calling your attention to the work accomplished and the results obtained, I beg to return to the various division officers in the county, who have aided me in the task my hearty appreciation of their labors and services. The work undertaken has been varied in character although including matters of great importance. Notwithstanding the great business depression of the last ten months which affected many of our divisions in different parts of the county I am pleased to report the largest increase in membership made by any county in the state if not in the country. At the last county convention held in East Cambridge there were in good standing 3594 members."

During the past two years we have met with many losses from death in our ranks. Many of our older members, who for years were the standard bearers of the order, building it up to its present prosperous standing, have passed away. Among them our own beloved state secretary, John P. Mahoney of this city, who was ever a sincere Hibernian and an ardent worker in our cause. His genial presence and familiar figure will be missed not alone in this, his native city, but in every other locality where the members of our order gather in convention."

I am very much pleased to state that "the stage Irish man" has been almost entirely driven from the American stage except for a few rare instances which show that the evil still exists in a few sections, but our crusade has met with practically complete success. I would recommend that the work undertaken be continued and that our own division when holding entertainments, lectures or strike strikes take care that the programs for these affairs be in such shape as to reflect the highest ideals of our race. A few publishers of comic books and cards still continue to portray ridiculous and offensive caricatures of our people and I would recommend that our members withhold their patronage from stores having for sale these cards and advise their friends to do likewise. It affords me much gratification to be able to pay tribute to my humble fellow members in this county who, through the Ladies' auxiliary, their works in advocating Hibernianism in all parts of the county cannot be too highly commended and their work in the cause of Irish nationality cannot be too highly appreciated. Much good has resulted from their assistance and we owe cause to congratulate ourselves

many reforms to be inaugurated. We believe that at times our members leave themselves open to criticism. Our musical events and division entertainments must always consist of that which is creditable to our people in the highest and most dignified sense of the word. I would recommend that only the beautiful music of our ancestors, the songs of our national poets, the eloquence of our orators and the melodies and patriotic airs of America combined with the production of our most classic Irish composers appear on our programs. At our last national convention at Indianapolis the policy of the organization was adopted and it becomes all good Hibernians to live up to that policy."

Many changes were made in our constitution and it is to be hoped that these changes will prove beneficial to the management of our order. Among the changes adopted was one relative to the representation at the national convention, proposed by your county president, wherein this county is now entitled to twice as many delegates as it has had heretofore."

A noble auxiliary of our order in this state is the Hibernian Insurance, under the corporate title of "The A. O. H. Widows' and Orphans' Fund." While much has been said as regards the introduction of a general plan of insurance into the order, throughout the country, owing to the fact that in states where such an organization exists the number of suspensions have been lessened. I find after careful investigation that the plan of insurance as carried on in Massachusetts is far superior to that of other states, its management being carefully guarded in accordance with the strict laws of the state rendered sufficient to insure the members protection. The Widows' and Orphans' Fund

has paid out, in the last nine years \$50,000. While meeting all obligations on issue of one assessment per month, the fund is also providing a reserve fund, the same being done by the taking of a certain percent of all assessments for such purpose. I consider that a more just method of creating the same than that of any fraternal insurance in this state."

By a vote adopted at our last state convention in Lynn the Working Boys' Home has been placed in our charge as a charitable institution to which we should give our attention. In the future all our charity should be devoted to the institution in order that we may do as much for the Home as the division in the southern part of the state, which has succeeded in giving much help. It would be well also for each division in the state to feel it a credit deserving of every assistance that is in our power to give."

Upon you, brothers, who represent the various divisions throughout the county of Middlesex, depend the future advancement of the A. O. H. Your intelligence, determination, loyalty and honesty of purpose will, I believe, enable you to carry on the grand work of uniting the scattered members of our race, and thus place the Ancient Order of Hibernians in the forefront of the fraternal organizations of the world. Its beneficial influence for the elevation of the scattered Irish exiles who have suffered the persecution and the tyranny of centuries can only continue by virtue of the work which must be done by every member of the order in disseminating our principles broad cast among our people, getting them to affiliate themselves with the A. O. H."

The membership committee reported a membership of 5000 with property valued at \$110,000. Much of the prosperity of the organization has been due to the untiring efforts of County President Donnelly who has held the office for four years and who was re-elected by acclamation. James O'Sullivan of this city was placed in nomination but Mr. O'Sullivan declined the honor and eloquently supported Mr. Donnelly."

One matter deeply regretted by the convention was the retirement of County Chaplain Rev. John P. Flynn, O. M. I., and it was voted that the incoming county board draw up a set of resolutions expressing the gratitude of the body for the splendid services of the retiring chaplain and its regret that he could not continue longer in the office. Fr. Flynn made an eloquent address as did Rev. Philip O'Donnell of Boston; John J. Rogers of Worcester and State Vice President John Dillon."

The other officers elected were County Vice President P. J. Mahoney of Malden; Recording Secretary John M. Craig of Natick; Financial Secretary Joseph R. Cooney of Watertown; Treasurer Thomas J. Green of West Newton. All officers elected were installed by State Vice President John Dillon. Resolutions were adopted embodying many valuable recommendations of the county president, and enlarged the policy of the national convention, held recently. Resolutions were also adopted on the death of State Secretary John P. Mahoney of Lowell. During intermission refreshments were served to the delegates and a vote of thanks was given to the Lowell branch for the hospitality extended the visitors."

Division 8 will hold a regular meeting this evening and Division 11 will meet tomorrow evening."

## LADIES OF CHARITY

## HELD AN IMPORTANT MEETING YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

At St. John's hospital, yesterday afternoon, there was a very largely attended meeting of the "Ladies of Charity" of that institution. It was the initial meeting of the year, the principal business being the election of officers for the ensuing year, with the following result:

Mrs. Wm. P. Lawler, president; Mrs. P. Gilbride, first vice-president; Mrs. P. F. Conaton, second vice-president; Rev. Sister Raphael, treasurer; Rev. Sister Alphonsus, corresponding secretary; M. Alice Cox, recording secretary.

The board of directors chosen by the officers was as follows: Mrs. Wm. P. Barry, chairman; Mrs. E. D. Kerwin, Mrs. Charles Keyes, Miss Grace C. Delaney, Mrs. P. J. Devlin, Mrs. Hugh Downey, Miss Susan Flynn, Mrs. P. F. Sullivan, Mrs. Mary Dunham, Mrs. Hugh McOsker, Mrs. P. W. Reilly, Miss Louise Drach, Mrs. A. D. Ware, Miss Alice T. Clark, Mrs. A. E. Chase, Mrs. Elizabeth Lang.

The other business transacted was the payment of fees, many generously taking advantage of the opportunity. The invitation from the board of charities to the society to appoint a committee to attend a meeting to be held October 15, to formulate plans to extend the works of charity throughout the city, was read and unanimously accepted by the society. A committee was accordingly appointed to attend the same. The resignation of Miss Rose Dowd, the past president, and Miss Mary Seery, the past corresponding secretary, were read and accepted and a committee appointed to extend to them a vote of thanks for their labors. The meeting then adjourned."

## MAN KILLED

## HE WAS MISTAKEN FOR A MOOSE

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 12.—John Richardson, aged 50, was yesterday shot dead by John Chivers, a hunter at Sable River. Richardson had gone into the underbrush to gather fire wood and was returning with a log on his shoulders when Chivers, who was moose hunting, mistaking him for one, opened fire. The first two shots lodged in the log which Chivers supposed was the horns and finding they took no effect, he aimed lower. The third shot took effect and Richardson was dying when Chivers, half crazed with grief, reached him."

## FOR NEW CHURCH

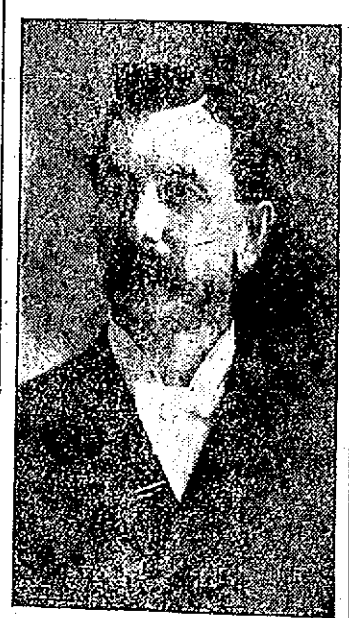
## Cornerstone Laid For Primitive Methodist Edifice

The cornerstone of the new Lawrence street Primitive Methodist church was laid Saturday with appropriate ceremony, Rev. N. W. Matthews, pastor of the Gorham street church, officiating with the trowel."

The new church is located in Wigganville where many of its members reside, and the foundation work is practically completed while no time will be lost on the superstructure."

The service of laying the cornerstone was opened at 3 o'clock p. m. by Rev. N. W. Matthews. The pastor, Rev. John T. Ullom, spoke words of greeting; Rev. J. M. Craig, of the Presbyterian church, invoked the divine blessing, and the hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," was sung by the choir and congregation. A responsive reading, Psalm 132, was led by Rev. C. H. Kershaw."

After the singing of the hymn "How Firm a Foundation," the gathering was dismissed with the benediction."



REV. N. W. MATTHEWS,  
Of First P. M. Church.

After the laying of the cornerstone, the names of the architect, and names of the workmen employed on the foundation. Also the program of the service, and a photograph of the old church edifice on Moore street. The president of the board of trustees, Thomas E. Wilde, presented Rev. N. W. Matthews the trowel to be used in laying the stone. In accepting, Mr. Matthews said it gave him peculiar pleasure, because of the fact of his identification with the Primitive Methodist movement in Lowell. The first day of January, will complete the 30th year since he first came to the city and began work in the old Gorham street church. Mr. Matthews prepared the mortar for the reception of the stone, and the polished cornerstone, bearing the date, "A. D. 1908," was placed in position by the workmen."

Rev. C. H. Kershaw offered prayer, and after the singing of the hymn "How Firm a Foundation," the gathering was dismissed with the benediction."

NEW OFFICERS  
INSTALLED BY THE FRENCH AMERICAN FORESTERS

Court Blanche de Castille, French American Foresters, has elected and installed the following officers for the ensuing term: Chief forester, Miss Agnes Levesque; sub-chief ranger, Miss Eva Leblanc; treasurer, Miss Ida Fortin; financial secretary, Miss Anna Champagne; recording secretary, Miss Anna Mailloche; first guard, Miss Louise Teller; second guard, Miss Angeline McNamee; first sentinel, Miss Rose Contombe; second sentinel, Miss Louise Labreque; first trustee, Miss Diana Drouin; second trustee, Miss Victoria Lebel; third trustee, Miss Clémence Ouellette; dean, Miss Valentine Cognac."

## LOCAL POLICE

## WARNED THAT BURGLARS ARE WORKING IN THE HIGHLANDS.

The local police are on the lookout for burglars who have been operating in the Highlands within the past week. In each case the burglars have been after money, for in nearly every case valuables have been left behind. The following were the houses entered: William G. Gardner, 475 Wilder street; Mrs. Susan M. Andrews, 318 Stevens street; Frank H. Putnam, 12 Marlborough street; and Mrs. Lucy Brennan, 71 Robbins street."

## PONY AUTO RACES

The third of a series of pony automobile races held on the Eleventh street speedway, in Centralville, was pulled off Saturday afternoon and Arthur Isherwood was the winner of the first prize, which was \$1. Junior Ellingwood was the second driver to cross the tape and Gerald Baron, third.

## BROKE HIS LEG

In the game between the Y. M. C. I. and Chelsea A. A. Craig, the captain of the Lowell team received a broken leg. He was going through the centre for gains when the players of the visiting team piled on him with the result as above stated."

## HIGH STREET CHURCH

Sermon by Rev. A. C. Ferrin, Pastor

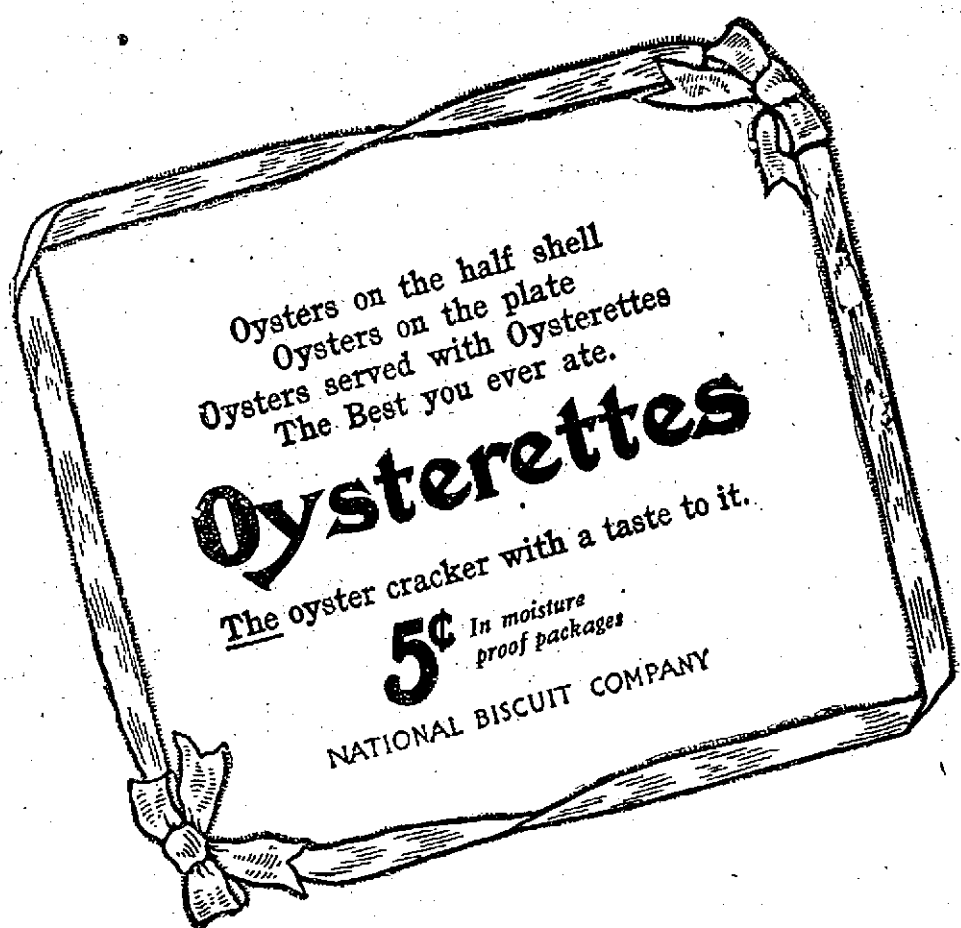
At the High Street Congregational church, Sunday morning, the pastor, Rev. A. C. Ferrin applied the story of Zacharias to modern business and political conditions."

He said that the extortionate methods were used by Zacharias and spoke of the prejudice excited against tax-gatherers by the methods generally in vogue. It was the story of the tax-to date. The preacher said, in part: "It is just so in politics. Clean, irreproachable men shrink from entering political life because of the odium attached to the career. Even a clean politician finds it difficult to get his name, and for this reason, no doubt, weak men have said, 'It is no use trying. I might as well get all I can out of it. I will get the name, too.' This is unfortunate. But the remedy is not in demanding that the public must not be watchful. That would mean the nullification of the public conscience and we have had enough of that. The remedy lies in demanding that the remedy be honest men, in politics, and then in supporting them with our votes and influence when we have gotten them."

"Nothing has done more in this age and country to dull the human conscience; nothing is more responsible for the conflict between labor and capital, the haughtiness of capital and exactions of labor; few things are more responsible for the indifference to the authority of religion, than the attitude among business men that they can divorce business from all questions of moral obligation beyond legal justice. It is an impossible attitude."

## Removes Poison Germs of Catarrh and Rheumatism From the Blood

The Catarrh of the head use a teaspoonful of salt and a quarter teaspoonful of borax dissolved in a pint of warm water. Snuff this mixture through the nostrils twice daily and immediate relief is experienced. To cure a constitutional blood remedy must be used. Catarrh and rheumatism are both due to accumulated poisons in the system. These poisons ought to be eliminated through the skin, the bowels and the urinary tract. The following simple home mixture warrants the utmost faith as it effectively acts on the kidneys, the bowels and the skin, causing them to resume their functions quickly and properly. You can mix it at home or have any honest druggist do so. One-half ounce of fluid extract Buchu, one ounce compound fluid Balmwort, and two ounces syrup Sarsaparilla, combine. Mix, and take a teaspoonful after each meal and one at retiring. Many cases of catarrh, rheumatism, and kidney trouble have already benefited by this treatment and this is the season when nearly every one needs it."



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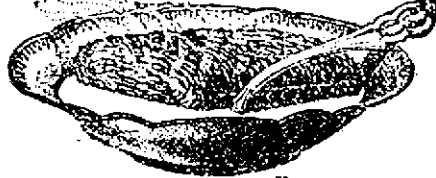
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# SUITS FOR \$20,000 THE STATE BRANCH

## Thirteen to be Tried at Next Session of Court Of Federation of Labor in Lowell

BROCKTON, Oct. 12.—After many delays lasting through more than two years, fifteen suits for damages arising from the explosion at the plant of the R. B. Greer Co. here in which a number of lives were lost are expected to come up for trial at the November sitting of the superior court in Plymouth. In each of thirteen cases the damages asked for are \$20,000, and the list of damages are alleged injuries to chest, arms and several cases more serious injuries. The other two cases involve damages of but \$10,000 each.

It is proposed to select the case of Elmer H. Dodge, a shoe tree who lost a leg and sustained other injuries in the disaster, as a test case, and on the outcome of this will depend on a great measure the future of the remaining suits. Mrs. Alice Copeland, one of the fifteen plaintiffs, sued for \$20,000 for the loss of the services of her husband, Walter Copeland, one of the victims of the explosion.

# MURDER MYSTERY

## Chicago Police Have Clues in the Thompson Case

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—Positive identification of Luman C. Mann, son of O. C. Mann, wealthy resident of Oak Park, as the purchaser of the rope which bound Mrs. Frances Thompson in her death struggles, the discovery of a key in his pocket which is said to fit the door to the death chamber in the house at 1242 Michigan avenue and the recovery of a watch from Mann's pocket, alleged to belong to the murdered woman, form yesterday's important developments in the Thompson murder mystery. Charles E. Babin, the accused man's attorney, said that he would appear at the preliminary hearing today before Judge Dick ready to furnish \$100,000 bond if necessary to obtain the release of Mann until his case is brought to trial in the criminal court. Mann protested his innocence strenuously. He declared he would be able to prove an alibi.

With one of the largest representations of delegates in its history, the Massachusetts state branch of the American Federation of Labor commenced its 23rd annual convention in Associate hall, this city, today. Of a total membership of 213 local unions and 29 central labor unions as shown in the report of Acting Secretary Joyce of Boston, there were present delegates from nearly 25 directly affiliated local unions and each of the 29 central bodies was represented.

Among those in attendance were Secretary-Treasurer Dennis Driscoll and Arthur M. Huddell of Boston who were with President Edward Cohen of the state branch when the latter was fatally shot a year ago while calling upon Governor Guild at the state house. Secretary Driscoll was himself wounded and has lately been able to leave the house.

The convention was organized in Associate hall by Philip Sweet of Boston, appointed to the office of president following the death of Mr. Cohen. With the appointment of committees and convention officers the delegates were ready for the annual reports of the state officials and of those special committees which had been delegated to report upon subjects of interest of labor at this year's convention. Among these later matters probably the most important to be considered was the report of the legislative committee. It was also expected that resolutions would be adopted concerning the attitude of the state unions on the existing strike of last year in Lynn.

William E. Regan of Lowell was appointed sergeant-at-arms; M. A. Lee of Lowell, messenger, and James R. Cozier of Boston, carriage and wagon workers, assistant secretary.

Miss Annabel D. Brown of Boston City Factory Tobacco Stoppers' union 5132 A. F. of L. was the only woman delegate. Mr. Joseph E. Convery of the local branch, was the first speaker introduced by the chairman. His was an address of welcome on the part of the local branch. Mr. Convery outlined the program for the convention and gave a hearty welcome. When Mr. Convery called attention of the convention to the fact that Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan had donated the hall for the convention, there was one roar of applause that might have been heard in Merrimack square.

Mr. Convery referred to Mr. O'Sullivan as labor's best friend in Lowell and perhaps in Massachusetts.

**Mayor Farnham.**  
Mayor Farnham followed Mr. Convery and gave the city's welcome to the delegates.

"The city of Lowell," he said, "was a city of labor and we command the efforts of unionism that seeks to improve conditions. Its efforts are to lend a helping hand to the weak, and I hope that your convention will be a harmonious one and that you will enjoy and benefit yourselves."

**Chairman Sweet's remarks.**  
The chairman, in behalf of the delegates, thanked Mayor Farnham for his words of welcome and in explaining the purpose and necessity of the association, said:

"We believe that we are entitled to some of the good things of life. We want clubs, we want homes, we want work and we want leisure. To ask for these things individually would be foolish, indeed, and therefore we ask it collectively and there you have unionism."

"This convention was brought to your city primarily to imbue the laboring people here with the spirit to help themselves."

"We are all endowed with a certain amount of intelligence and we should make the best of our talents. We must help each other and in union there is strength."

President Sweet in his annual report deplored the loss to union interests of Secretary Driscoll as a result of the shooting at the state house last December and in this connection praised Gov. Guild for his quickness of thought in disarming the lunatic, Steele.

"Organization has not progressed during the past year as fast as it ought," said Mr. Sweet, "but this is due in a large measure to other country's financial condition."

Injunctions and the Sherman anti-trust law received considerable attention in President Sweet's report. "These," he said, have become twin weapons of attack to trade unions and members of trade unions of our state and country. Through the unrestricted issuance of injunctions any judge can prohibit trade unions and members of trade unions

ers of this commonwealth to receive fair and proper treatment for labor legislation.

Therefore we recommend:  
1.—This convention declare what labor measures to concentrate our efforts upon; these bills to be known as state branch bills. That all delegates be instructed to keep in mind their friends on Boston hill, also keep in mind the names of the gentlemen and where they come from who were responsible for the unfavorable action on labor legislation desired, and that when they return home they make some effort to have candidates for public office pledged to support labor legislation.

The battle put up in the senate by the opponents of the bill recalls the battle of three years ago when the overtime bill, now a law, was defeated. The methods adopted to defeat that bill resulted in the retirement from political life of most of the men directly concerned in the affair. We believe what was done to retire to private life the African dodgers then in the senate can be done to the political acrobats of the senate of 1908.

**Noon Adjournment**  
The executive board's report of various meetings was referred to the committee on executive board without reading.

At 12 o'clock the convention adjourned for dinner and this afternoon the appointment of committees will be completed.

**Afternoon Session**  
When the convention reconvened this afternoon the report of the committee on credentials was read and then there followed the first displacement of harmony.

The fire cracker was thrown when William Standeumbe of Boston City Cigar Makers' union No. 47, got the floor. Mr. Standeumbe is a good talker and he started in by telling of his affiliation with the state organization. To make a long story short he said that upon learning that the Lowell City Cigar Makers' union was not in a position to send a delegate to the convention that he had volunteered to represent that body if they would provide him with a credential bearing the seal of the union.

He compared his case with one that the late State Branch President Edward Cohen had figured in when he appeared at a convention with a credential from a union of which he was not a member.

Secretary Dennis D. Driscoll was on his feet before Mr. Standeumbe had finished speaking and said that Mr. Cohen had ever presented the credential at a convention, but he did not know that Mr. Cohen had the credential.

Mr. Driscoll launched into a very vigorous speech in which he said that it would be establishing a bad precedent to open the doors to those who had credentials from unions of which they were not members. He said that no parallel case had ever come before the American Federation of Labor and that the convention would be making a big mistake to sanction it.

Among the delegates to speak to the question was E. Gerry Brown of Brockton. He was in favor of Mr. Standeumbe being seated as a delegate. He asked if the Boston union to which Mr. Standeumbe belonged and the Lowell union that he represented, were in good standing and the secretary said they were.

"Then I do not see how you can get back of your credential," said Mr. Brown.

The credential committee being opposed to seating Mr. Standeumbe, he was moved to the expression of the committee he concurred in by the convention. The motion was put and it was voted to concur with the committee on credentials.

Then the question arose as to Mr. Standeumbe's position in the convention and it was stated that he was without a seat as a delegate, and that the convention awaited an explanation from the union that provided him with a credential. The convention wanted to know why the union was not represented by one of its own members.

While the secretary called the roll and the delegates were provided with badges.

**FUNERALS**  
LYNCH.—The funeral of Anna Teresa Lynch, beloved daughter of John J. and Mary Lynch, was held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home of her parents, 2 rear 53 Andrew street, and was largely attended by many relatives and friends. The remains were tenderly laid at rest in the family lot.

The floral offerings laid upon the grave were: A large spray of asters inscribed "At Rest," from the family; large spray of gladioli, from Mr. and Mrs. Daniel J. Sullivan and large bouquet of cut flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

The bearers were three brothers of the deceased, Timothy, Paul and Edward, and three relatives, John Martin and James Sheehan.

There were many out-of-town friends present from Cambridge, Boston, Lawrence and Haverhill.

The funeral arrangements and burial were under the direction of Undertakers John A. Finnegan & Co.

**DOLAN.**—All that was mortal of the late Patrick Dolan was tenderly consigned to its last resting place in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral cortege left the late home of the deceased, 151 Concord street, at 9:30 o'clock followed by a vast concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends and proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by the Rev. John P. McRory, O. M. I., pastor of the church. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass. Solos were sung during the service by Mrs. William Gookin and Mr. Charles P. Smith. The deceased was being borne from the church "In Profundis" was rendered by the organ. Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ.

There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by his many friends and acquaintances. Among the most prominent were: Large pillow of roses and ferns, with the inscription "Father" from the family of the deceased; large pillow of roses inscribed "At Rest," from Mrs. Nora Devine, Mrs. Annie Barry, Miss Margaret Gallagher and Mrs. John McRory; large wreath of roses, pink and white, from Mrs. and Mrs. James Gookin and family. There were several other sprays from friends.

The bearers were Messrs. Christopher McGrath, Patrick Clark, Patrick McRory and Thomas McDonald.

The interment was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery where the last rites of the Catholic church were read at the grave by the Rev. John P. McRory, O. M. I.

The funeral was largely attended and was under the direction of Higgins Bros., undertakers.

# PARLIAMENT OPENS

## Another Irish Land Bill May be Introduced

LONDON, Oct. 12.—The autumn session of the British parliament was opened today. The entire ten weeks of the sitting will be taken up with consideration of government measures, the most important of which is the licensing bill. This measure will pass the house of commons but in the house of lords it will be either thrown out or amended and the controversy of last year between the two houses thus will be renewed. It is believed that an agreement will be reached with respect to the education bill and that this measure being quickly passed will make way for the introduction of another Irish land bill as well as measures dealing with the problem of the unemployed.

As soon as the business session was opened Premier Asquith was questioned with regard to the situation in the Balkans and in reply he said:

"As the secretary for foreign affairs and myself have stated in public it is impossible for this country in the interests of existing treaties to uphold alterations made therein by individual states and we hold to this principle."

We regard the events that have taken place in the near east as necessitating concern by the powers with a view to arriving at a settlement which shall show due regard to the interests of Turkey and by any other state which may have been prejudiced by the recent changes and we trust that a solution will be found. We shall use our influence to help make it both peaceful and equitable. No definite arrangements regarding a conference have been reported but the question of how a settlement can be obtained, and if it should be comprised therein is a subject of discussion.

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# BALKAN TROUBLE

## Expected That Powers Will Find Friendly Solution of Crisis

LONDON, Oct. 12.—The news received this morning from the storm centers in the near east confirms the belief held in London that the powers will find a friendly solution of the crisis which has agitated Europe for more than a week.

Serbia, it is now thought, has fallen in with the other states directly interested and is taking a more quiet view of the situation. The resolution of the Serbian national assembly passed today which amounts practically to a vote of confidence in the government has the matter of Serbia's attitude towards Austria-Hungary out of the hands of the cabinet. The members of the cabinet are aware of the actual state of affairs and doubtless will heed the warnings of the powers and take no rash step. The powers can therefore continue their negotiations in the matter of an international conference without fear of interruption by an outbreak from any of the Balkan states.

A majority of the powers continue in favor of the conference and are opposed to Great Britain's suggestion that the matter could be more quickly settled by an exchange of notes and possibly a meeting of the ambassadors at Constantinople, a course that would avoid the introduction of questions other than accomplished facts. There is reason to believe that M. Iswolsky, the Russian minister of foreign affairs in asking for the conference does not desire to reopen the entire near eastern question, that he is asking for something, however, is confirmed by a statement made today by an official of the Russian embassy. This diplomat said:

"Great Britain cannot adhere to the stand she has taken, namely that the conference must be confined to the actions of Bulgaria and Austria-Hungary."

The cabinet had a long meeting today at which Foreign Secretary Grey set forth the position he had taken and explained the views of M. Iswolsky. At the close of the meeting the foreign office announced that it had nothing to say at the present time.

**WAR FEVER RUNS HIGH**  
BETTING, Oct. 12.—The Montenegrin general assembly met here in extraordinary session. The war fever is running high here and the people are being strengthened by a bellicose message to parliament from Prince Nicholas who declared that the annexation of these two provinces had created a crying wrong upon the people of Montenegro and the people were prepared to sacrifice their last drop of blood under the peaceful endeavors now on foot resulted in righting this grievance. The message was received with cheers and other demonstrations of approval.

**UNION WITH GREECE**  
CANEA, Island of Crete, Oct. 12.—The Cretan parliament met today and formally voted the union of the island with Greece. The Moslems were not present.

**SEIZED CUSTOM HOUSE**  
BERLIN, Oct. 12.—The Lokalanzeiger today publishes a despatch from Lugrad saying that Serbian customs officials on the frontier have taken forcible possession of the Hungarian customs house and that the people of Lugrad have burned another Austrian flag on the public square.

According to this despatch customs officers from the town of Shabatz on the Sava went over to the island of Rajkatz which is Hungarian territory and drove out from the settlement there the Hungarian authorities by threatening them with armed force. The Serbians then took possession of the Hungarian customs service which they continue to operate. They have been reinforced by Serbian gendarmes. The people of Lugrad are celebrating this event joyfully.

A band of Serbian demonstrators boarded an Austrian steamer at Belgrade, tore down the national flag and carried it to "Theatre" square where it was burned.

The Serbian government, the correspondent says in conclusion appears to be unable to withstand the warlike tendencies of the people.

**WILL SUPPORT GOVERNMENT**  
BELGRADE, Oct. 12.—At an extraordinary session of the general assembly this morning the following resolution was unanimously passed:

"The Skupstina after hearing the explanations of the government and the steps taken by it expects vigorous activity will be displayed for the protection of the nation's threatened interests. With this object in view the Skupstina will support the government to the fullest extent."

The Skupstina has sent an encouraging telegram of greeting to the Montenegrin national assembly which assembles today and voted an extraordinary credit of \$200,000 to the ministry of war. Further important decisions are expected.

# SWALLOWED TACK

## Chas. Manuel Narrowly Escapes Suffocation

Mr. Charles Manuel, the popular shoe repairer of West Third street, is receiving congratulations from his friends on his complete and most fortunate recovery from what might have been a fatal accident.

Mr. Manuel has been a shoemaker for nearly 30 years, and like all shoemakers, while at work always stuffs his mouth with lasting tacks. In all that time he never swallowed a tack until last Thursday, and then when a customer who was having a shoe repaired "while you wait" told him a new joke he laughed so heartily that he swallowed a tack and it stuck in the lower part of his throat. At first he paid no attention to the tack but the following day his throat began to swell and he found it difficult to breathe. He immediately sought medical counsel and after 24 hours' treatment by Dr. A. E. A. McCann the refractory tack was dislodged and aside from a slight swelling and its attendant soreness Mr. Manuel is now enjoying his usual health. The tack swallowed by Mr. Manuel was a long steel outfit with a point like a needle and had a point end stuck within him his chance of escaping suffocation would have been very slim.

# THIRD MACHINE

## STARTED IN PAPER MILLS AT LIVERMORE FALLS.

LIVERMORE FALLS, Me., Oct. 12.—A third paper-making machine was started in the mill of the International Paper Co. today and another was being made ready to start. More paper-makers are expected from out of town this week. The union still stood out. One of the union officials stated that contrary to reports the men had not voted by a majority of two not to return. Supt. Kelly stated today that the machine in operation and that these are making a sufficient amount of paper to supply the present orders.

# No Back Down

Is to be looked for from us as to advertisements or representations. We make from day to day regarding our COKE. Just now we are in the BACK UP BUSINESS. We are backing up our coke in all ways we know. We will back it up to your back door. If you will permit us, \$1.75 for one chaldron, 144 pounds of best fuel, delivered in up-to-date manner, without waste or parting of your sensibilities, with coal. After backing coke up to your back door we will back it up some more—only it will be unnecessary as OUR COKE, if given a fair chance, wins its own way. Notice our neatly put up half bushel bags. Sold every where on the street for 10 cents.

**LOWELL GAS LIGHT CO.**

# STOCK MARKET

## Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

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**NEW YORK STOCKS**

Am. Beet Sugar	88 1/2
Am. Cotton Oil	25 1/2
Am. Flour	40 1/2
Am. Lard	75 1/2
Am. Sugar	13 1/2
Am. Smelting and Ref. Co.	8 1/2
Am. Locomotive	45
Am. Ice	43 1/2
Am. Ice Sec.	25 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Trans.	9 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	43 1/2
Chicago & Great Western	7
Colorado Fuel and Iron	35
Cent. Leather	25 1/2
Canadian Pacific	116
Distillers' Securities	30
Eric	32 1/2
Eric Ind.	133 1/2
Great Northern	133 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	102 1/2
Illinois Central	169
Int. Steam Pump	27 1/2
Mexican Central	16
Missouri, Kansas & T. p'd.	30 1/2
Missouri Pacific	65
Northern Pacific	54 1/2
New York Central	141 1/2
National Lead	104 1/2
Norfolk	74
Pennsylvania	123 1/2
Pacific Mail	24 1/2
People's Gas	9 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	33
Reading	12 1/2
Railway Steel Spring	35
Rock Island	20 1/2
Rock Island p'd.	45 1/2
Southern Railway	21 1/2
Southern Railway p'd.	51
Southern Pacific	104 1/2
St. Paul	130
Tenn. Copper	40 1/2
U. S. Steel	47
U. S. Steel p'd.	109 1/2
Union Pacific	165 1/2
Utah Copper	41
U. S. Rubber	12 1/2
Wabash	23 1/2
Wabash p'd.	26 1/2
Westinghouse	75 1/2
W. U. T.	59

**BOSTON STOCKS**

Am. T. & T.	127
Butte	25
Boston Con.	14
Cent.	35 1/2
Copper	74 1/2
Greene Con.	102 1/2
La. S. & O.	102 1/2
Mass. Electric	9 1/2
Mass. Electric p'd.	51
Mass. Gas	53 1/2
Mass. Gas p'd.	58
Mohawk	62 1/2
North Butte	52 1/2
Omaha	102 1/2
Parrott	26
Quincy	92
Trinity	46
Shannon	15 1/2
United Fruit ex-rights	123 1/2
Utah	41 1/2
Woolen p'd.	51 1/2

\* Ex-dividend.

# WILBUR WRIGHT

MAY BE DECORATED WITH LEGION OF HONOR  
PARIS, Oct. 12.—The Journal this morning appeals to the government to decorate Wilbur Wright with the Legion of Honor in recognition of his success in aerial navigation.



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## LOCAL NEWS

Try Tobin's Printery next time.  
Salted almonds—Extra good—  
Howard, the druggist, 197 Central st.  
Order your coal now at Mullin's, 363  
Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The grand officers of Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Massachusetts have arranged a series of visits to subordinate lodges for the purpose of witnessing the work of the different degrees under the new ritual and to further the interest of the order in this jurisdiction.

Wednesday evening of this week they will visit Centralville lodge, 215, at which time the third degree will be conferred upon two candidates. The degree staff has been hard at work for several weeks rehearsing the work in order that the degrees may be conferred in the same impressive manner as in the past for which they had a reputation that was more than local.

Chester lodge, K. of P., met in Highland hall last Friday evening. Frank Griffin was in the chair and there was a large attendance. After the business a collation was served in the lower hall by Brother Avery Pilling Jones.

Better than ordinary walk brooms 50c. Howard, the druggist, 197 Central street.

## MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Napoleon Demers and Miss Marie Roy were married yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph's rectory, by Rev. Fr. Ouellette. O. M. J. Mr. William Roy was his daughter's witness, and Mr. Achille Demers stood with the bridegroom. In the evening a dinner was served at the residence of the bride, 253 School street, followed by a reception to a large party of guests.

## DRACUT

Rev. A. C. Saxman, pastor of the Dracut Centre Congregational church, has tendered his resignation to the church. He has accepted the pulpit of about two years but has accepted a call to a pastorate at Evans, Pa. The Ladies' Aid society and the Men's Brotherhood league of the Hillside church have joined forces in the inauguration of the annual harvest supper and entertainment to be held at the church next Thursday.

## AGAINST KEYES

ACTION OF CONTRACT AGAINST CHELMSFORD MAN.

An attachment of \$2000 has been filed against Edwin H. Keyes of Chelmsford at the local court house in Gorham street, the plaintiff in the case being Alice Fisher. This is an action of contract and will be heard at the next session of the superior civil court.

## VESPER GOLFERS

Defeat Winchester Men 16 to 5

The Vesper Country club golfers defeated the Winchester golfers in a team golf tournament Saturday by a score of 16 to 5. The local players showed considerable more skill than did the visitors and the match was a walkaway for the Vespers.

The trophy will now remain at the Vesper club for another year.

At this conclusion of the match, the players enjoyed an excellent dinner after which speaking was in order.

The finals for the club championship will be played next Saturday, when T. J. Clark and C. L. Grogan will battle for the title. H. J. Corwin and A. H. Swett will play off on the same day for the championship consolation.

The drawings for the finals for the club cup resulted as follows: J. A. Thompson vs. W. G. Eaton; A. D. Butterfield vs. C. F. Harris; E. K. Atwood vs. F. Stuart. These matches will be played on next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The team match between Vesper and Winchester showed the following scores:

WINCHESTER.		Points
I. W. Small	1	1
G. M. Brooks	2	2
E. R. Rooney	3	3
D. A. Skilling	4	4
C. G. Russell	5	5
H. J. Corwin	6	6
A. G. Fernald	7	7
R. W. Dunbar	8	8
P. T. Bufford	9	9
A. W. Huguley	10	10
R. H. Skelton	11	11
H. W. Skur	12	12
F. E. Barnard	13	13
C. E. Kinsey	14	14
R. E. Cushman	15	15
F. H. Scully	16	16
M. Brown	17	17
C. A. Wheeler	18	18
J. W. Russell	19	19
R. R. Kelley	20	20
W. Maguire	21	21
Total	22	22

## VESPER.

VESPER.		Points
J. Thorne	1	1
T. T. Clark	2	2
M. Mehan	3	3
C. W. Brown	4	4
C. L. Knapp	5	5
F. Stuart	6	6
F. Putnam	7	7
R. D. Willard	8	8
O. Hockmeyer	9	9
A. K. Chadwick	10	10
F. H. Corwin	11	11
H. E. Thayer	12	12
A. H. Merion	13	13
A. D. Butterfield	14	14
A. H. Swett	15	15
C. G. Russell	16	16
J. K. Whittier	17	17
E. Brooks	18	18
D. T. Bartlett	19	19
A. W. Huguley	20	20
J. H. Brown	21	21
Total	22	22

There was a club tournament against Vesper Saturday which A. K. Chadwick won.

A. K. Chadwick beat Vesper 5 up.  
F. Stuart beat Vesper 1 up.  
C. L. Knapp 5 down.  
S. E. Thayer 5 down.  
E. K. Atwood 7 down.  
H. H. Sheldon 7 down.  
H. J. Corwin 5 down.

LOST—Ladies' gold watch and fob between Lincoln and Main sts. Friday evening, Oct. 2. Return to 136 Lawrence st. Receive reward.

IF YOU CAN'T GO TO THE PINE WOODS

to cure your cough, get a 25c bottle of Syrup White Pine and Tar. Carter & Sherburne's Drug Store. IN THE WAITING ROOM.

## LOWELL HIGH WON

## Newburyport Was Outclassed by the Local Boys

Saturday afternoon Lowell High played its second game of the season and defeated Newburyport 34-0. The score shows very nearly the relative merits of both teams. After the first five minutes of play when Newburyport was an unknown and untired quantity, there was no other outcome possible but a local victory. After the Lowell boys tired Newburyport out in three first few minutes of play, and found out their capability and weakness, they settled down to hard, fast work and within nine minutes of play had scored two touchdowns and in two more minutes a third. At no time thereafter was Newburyport dangerous, save once, when Lowell because of penalties, was obliged to punt from behind her own goal. But Bartlett's punt soon put the ball out of danger.

Newburyport made their first down but twice, once in each half, and at all other times was forced to punt or surrender the ball on downs. On the other hand Lowell gained at will and was obliged to punt but twice. Time after time Lowell used the forward pass to good advantage, while Newburyport, trying it but twice, failed both times. Lowell tried three outside kicks and succeeded in making the play good twice. Newburyport tried this play once but failed to carry it through to success.

Lowell used four or five different formations and half a dozen trick plays, while Newburyport used but one formation, the old fashioned, regular three men back formation and the backs were fully six yards behind the ball, thus giving the Lowell team a good opportunity to diagnose the plays before they reached the line. Lowell made their greatest gains on a tackle over and end back formation which their opponents were entirely at a loss to know how to combat, first through the long side of the line, then through the short, and next a forward pass or short kick till Newburyport seemed entirely bewildered.

For Lowell Bartlett played a very striking game. He has just been shifted from end to tackle and just about fills the bill. The practice gained at end of following the ball stands him in good stead. Saturday he recovered two or three fumbled balls and was into every play. On several occasions he made splendid diving tackles, and on the offense could always be found helping and pulling forward the man with the ball. The only two punts he made were both well executed and averaged over 40 yards.

Rooney played a very steady and clever game at center. On every center play he and the guards could be relied upon to open up good holds for the backs. On the defense he recovered a forward pass and was all over the field at once. The ends, especially O'Donoghue, showed up well as the results show. Both men recovered kicks, forward passes and never allowed an opponent to circle either ends.

The backfields, while not as fast as they will be expected to be later, are traveling at quite a rate now. Connell, Caniney and Gargan all gained at will and through any place. The quarterback backs showed some improvement over last week's form especially in judgment and team work.

The game in detail: Newburyport won the toss and Lowell kicked off. On the first play Lowell was off side and was penalized five yards. Newburyport failed to gain and punted. After two or three fumbles and an exchange of kicks, this was Lowell's ball on Newburyport's 15 yard line. Connell went through left tackle for 15 yards and Caniney went through right guard for a touchdown. Rooney failed to kick the goal. Score, 5-0.

Lowell again kicked off and Bartlett nailed the man in his tracks. Rooney recovered a forward pass attempted by Newburyport. Connell went through left tackle once more, and again Caniney carried the ball through center for a touchdown. Rooney kicked the goal. Score, 11-0.

Lowell kicked off and on the third play, Newburyport having failed to gain, punted. O'Donoghue received a forward pass and covered nine yards. Gargan shot through right tackle for ten more and then Connell on a play through the opposite side made a touchdown. Rooney kicked the goal. Score, 17-0.

Newburyport selected to kick off and Lavigne caught the ball. On an attempted quarter back kick, Newburyport got the ball and immediately afterwards Lowell recovered the ball on the same kind of a play. In three plays by Gargan, Connell and Caniney the ball was again put over for the fourth touchdown. Rooney kicked the goal. Score, 23-0.

Newburyport kicked off and in a half a dozen more plays, the backs alternating in carrying the ball, Gargan skinned right tackle for 12 yards and a touchdown. Rooney failed to kick the goal. Score, 29-0. There was no further scoring in the half.

Lowell recovered the kick off and Leggett who replaced Lavigne, ran it in 20 yards. Gargan kicked off 15 yards around right end. O'Brien made 12 more through left tackle and then Newburyport got the ball on a fumble. They failed to gain and kicked. In a series of plays, making 10 and 15 yards at a time, Lowell again scored, Caniney carrying the ball. Rooney kicked the goal. Score, 35-0.

After this several substitutes were put in by Lowell and the ball saw-sawed up and down till time was called.

The line-up:

LOWELL		NEWBURYPORT	
O'Donoghue, lb	re	Worcester	re
Bartlett, lb	re	McKinley	re
Flinders, lb	re	Perkins	re
Groen, lb	re	Kelleher	re
Rooney, c	re	Elliott	re
Harris, c	re	Winder	re
Moore, lb	re		
Donovan, re	re		
McMahon, re	re		
Lavigne, qb	re		
Leggett, qb	re		
Gargan, qb	re		
Taylor, qb	re		
Connell, qb	re		
Slattery, qb	re		

Caniney, qb  
Bartlett, qb  
O'Brien, qb  
The score—Lowell, 34. Touchdowns—Caniney, 4; Connell, Gargan; goals from touchdowns—Rooney, 4. Referee—Mahoney. Umpire—Simmons. Linesmen—Bachus and Hunt. Timer—C. W. Irish. Time—29 and 15 minutes periods.

## Y. M. C. I. WON

## DEFEATS CHELSEA A. A. 35-0 IN OPENING GAME

The Y. M. C. I. football team opened its home season Saturday afternoon by defeating the strong Chelsea A. A. in a most decisive manner, the final score being 35-0. After the first few minutes of play it was plain to be seen that the boys from Chelsea were no match for the locals. The first touchdown was made in exactly five minutes, Jewett carrying the ball over on a straight rush through the opponents' right tackle. The second was made in three minutes by a series of good gains by O'Connor, Jewett and Craig. It was here that Captain Craig sustained a broken leg and Stone replaced him. McOsker, Jewett, Craig and O'Connor played a great game for the locals, while Hardacher and Murphy played strongly for the Chelsea team. The lineup:

CHELSEA A. A.		Y. M. C. I.	
le, Andrews	re	Stone, Castlin, re	re
le, Schenck	re	Pearson, re	re
le, J. Hardacher	re	Kempson, re	re
le, Willard	re	Krane, c	re
re, McCullough	re	A. Cooney, lb	re
re, A. Hardacher	re	Duffy, McOsker, lb	re
re, A. Hardacher	re	McOsker, lb	re
re, A. Hardacher	re	O'Connor, lb	re

H. Jewett, qb  
Craig, Stone, re  
Cudworth, qb  
The score: Y. M. C. I. 35; Chelsea A. A. 0. Touchdowns—Jewett, 2; Stone, 1; Craig, 1; McOsker, 1; O'Connor, 1. Time—29 and 15 minutes halves. Referee—J. Farrington. Umpire—Geo. Barrie. L. H. S. '08. Field judge—J. Stevens. Linesmen—Martin and W. O'Hara. Timekeepers—Whalen and Riley.

## PONIES WALLOP TIGERS

The Tigers received a coat of ketchup at the hands of the Ponies. Saturday afternoon, the score being 11 to 0. It was the initial game of the season for the Ponies who displayed old time form. The Tigers were strengthened by three players of the strong North End team. The lineup of the game was as follows:

PONIES		TIGERS	
Garrigan, lb	re	le, Mahan	re
Callahan, lb	re	le, Edwards	re
Boyle, lb	re	le, Hubson	re
le, McGowan, c	re	le, Duffy	re
le, MacKinnon, c	re	le, McCann	re
le, Ryan, qb	re	le, Rose	re
le, Ryan, qb	re	le, Johnson	re
le, Ryan, qb	re	le, Russell	re
le, Ryan, qb	re	le, La Junesse	re
le, Ryan, qb	re	le, Ryan	re

The Ponies would like to play any team in the city or state whose average weight is between 150 and 175 pounds. The Ponies are composed of all the Mysterians of all last year that went through the whole season without being scored upon.

WOBURN HIGH 5, MITCHELL 0. Woburn high won its first football game at Mitchell Academy, Billerica, Saturday in a very close contest, 5 to 0. The teams were about evenly matched, Mitchell Academy being the heavier if anything, but Woburn outplayed them. Both teams were repeatedly penalized for holding, and although Woburn had a better team they did not play together as well as their opponents.

SATURDAY'S FOOTBALL. At Cambridge: Harvard, 10; Williams, 0. At New Haven: Yale, 18; Holy Cross, 0. At Lowell: St. John's Prep, 6; Lowell Textile, 0. At Amherst: Amherst, 0; U. of V., 0. At Providence: Brown, 12; Bowdoin, 0. At Ontario: Maine 36, Fort McKim, 0.

## SLIGHT FIRE ON CROSS STREET.

An alarm from box 6, shortly before noon today, summoned a portion of the fire department to a slight blaze in a house in Cross street, the property of the Lynch heirs. The fire started in a curtain but was extinguished before much damage was done.

## NORTH BILLERICA DEFEATED

In the game of soccer football at North Billerica, Saturday afternoon, the Andover team defeated the home team in a hard fought contest by a score of 2 to 0. The excellent passing of the visitors is what contributed to their victory. The score:

## ANDOVER NORTH BILLERICA

ANDOVER		NORTH BILLERICA	
le, Neil	re	le, Oates	re
le, Nichols	re	le, Holmes	re
le, Nichols	re	le, Hardy	re
le, Nichols	re	le, Hardy	re
le, Nichols	re	le, Hardy	re
le, Nichols	re	le, Hardy	re
le, Nichols	re	le, Hardy	re
le, Nichols	re	le, Hardy	re
le, Nichols	re	le, Hardy	re

## The Merrimack Women's Store

Invites inspection of their

## October Offering of Tailored Suits

At \$25.00

Demonstrating the distinct superiority of the style, quality and value always maintained

at the Merrimack.

Women of slender form are particularly favored by this season's suit fashions—high waist lines and long clinging skirts, but the women of stouter figure will find many new and exclusive models here wonderfully becoming.

The Merrimack specializes this \$25.00 range of suits as it has always been our aim to give more value, newer styles and better tailored garments at \$25.00 than other stores selling women's apparel.

The suit pictured, like all Merrimack garments, shows tailoring of a high order. The coat is cut 38 inches long, semi-fitting, with guaranteed satin lining. The entire coat is bound with military braid, finished with fancy crochet buttons. Note the new directoire pockets and new sleeves. The skirt is made in the new gored sheath effect, finished with fold of self material, braid and buttons.

We show this model in fancy stripe worsteds and good quality broadcloths in all the season's popular colorings.

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One of our latest dressy models \$25.00

## The Merrimack Clothing Co.

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## BEFORE JUDGE HADLEY

## Big Docket of Drunken and Other Offenders

There was quite a large grist in police court this forenoon, one of Judge Hadley's heavy days.

John Platt and Nellie E. Earle were each sentenced eight months to jail, being adjudged guilty of larceny of \$90 from Mary Duchette. The money was taken from the person of the complainant who had it attached to her waist by a ribbon.

Michael A. Sullivan, drunkenness, was given a suspended sentence of one year.

Louise Blissett, drunkenness, was given a suspended sentence of four months to jail. Edward Larnie, drunkenness, was disposed of in like manner.

Patrick Foote, pleaded guilty to being drunk and also for using profane language in a place of divine worship on Dutton street. It was shown in testimony offered by the government that the defendant entered the place and demanded money which was refused him and then he became boisterous and made use of invectives unit for public decency. On the profanity charge he was sentenced to thirty days in jail and for drunkenness twenty days additional.

John Ferrin, who claims Maynard as his home was sentenced to the state farm for drunkenness.

Joseph McAleer, drunkenness, third

offense was given a state farm suspended sentence.

Daniel Mahoney, a Sunday drunk was fined \$5.

Annie J. O'Brien, drunkenness, was given a suspended sentence to the women's reformatory at Sherburne.

Eight men with unpronounceable names were charged with being present at a gambling game on the Lord's day were each fined \$3. The game was pitching coins.

George Richards, charged with larceny was sentenced to the Massachusetts reformatory. He appealed and was ordered to the grand jury. Richards so the testimony of Omer Larnie, the complainant showed, skipped off with \$15 which the latter had given him to get changed for coin of small denomination. The larceny took place on Sept. 22 in the Merrimack house where the complainant was employed. Richards had a previous court record and served time in the reformatory.

Arthur A. Gray, was convicted of larceny and also had probable cause found for indecent assault. For larceny, that of stealing a watch from a roommate Joseph Farin, he was sentenced four months to the house of correction at East Cambridge. It was admitted by the defendant, in the court, in a searching cross examination by Deputy Welch that he served time in the reformatory at Elmira, N. Y. in a connection of felonious assaults on a little girl. Probable cause was found against Gray and he was ordered in \$900 to the Superior court.

## GREAT PITCHING

Won Championship for Y. M. C. A. Team

The championship of the Lowell and Suburban league was decided at Washington park, Saturday, when the Y. M. C. A. team shut out their dangerous rivals, the Mt. Groves, in a well played game which for seven innings was a pitcher's battle between Wheeler of the State Institution "Doxon" team and Butler, the Westford semi-professional team. "Lobo" Wild Ruff Donagan in yesterday's Chicago-Detroit game, Butler, after seven innings of beautiful work, weakened in the eighth. Wheeler pitched a phenomenal game, holding his opponents to three scattered hits, striking out 19 men and passing only one.

The score:

Y. M. C. A.		MT. GROVES.	
Grant, ss	5	1	0
Little, 1b	3	0	0
Johnson, 1c	2	0	0
Philney, 1b	4	1	4
Wright, cf	3	1	0
O'Brien, 2b	2	0	2
Harris, 3b	2	0	0
Hodgeman, rf	4	0	0
Rokes, c	3	0	1
Wheeler, p	4	0	1
Clement, lf	2	0	0
Totals	35	6	5

## MT. GROVES.

MT. GROVES.		Y. M. C. A.	
O. Sileo, cf	3	0	1
Little, 1b	3	0	2
Stricks, 3b	3	0	1
Bradley, rf	3	0	0
Mitchell, 3b	3	0	0
B. Sileo, lf	2	0	1
Vaughan, c	2	0	0
Butler, p	2	0	0
W. Sileo, 1b	3	0	1
Totals	29	0	3

Y. M. C. A. 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 5 6

Earned runs—Y. M. C. A. 7. Mt. Groves 2. Hits—Rokes, three base hit—Harris, Stolon bases—Wheeler, O. Sileo. Left on bases—Y. M. C. A. 7. Mt. Groves 2. First base on balls—O. Wheeler 1, off Butler 2. Hit by pitcher—Wright. Struck out—By Wheeler 19, by Butler 9. Time—1:45. Umpires—Nestor and Thomas. Attendance—39.

## NORTH CHELMSFORD

There certainly was something doing at the home of Mrs. G. Audin, on the Tyngsboro road, last Saturday afternoon, where a party was held in honor of the occasion of the sixth birthday anniversary of Master Clarence George Audin. Determined to have a real good time Clarence invited some dozen and a half of his little playmates and friends, all of whom helped to make the afternoon a memorable one indeed, besides presenting his little friends some kind mementos of the occasion, the afternoon was spent in various games, interspersed by a welcome contribution of ice cream and other good things, after which the youthful company sat down to a very served supper, justice being done there in an ample manner. Tired, but very happy, the merry throng separated at an early hour, looking forward to many other such happy occasions and in wishing their youthful host many happy returns of the day.

## NO MORE, NO LESS.

The Sun has all the news, You can't get more than that; The Sun costs but a cent, You can't pay less than that.

## Rummage Sale

Thursday and Friday, October 15 and 16, 1908, at 21 Market street, between Dutton and Warren streets. Persons wishing to donate articles for the sale may leave them at the above place, or by calling at St. John's Hospital 121 1/2 and a team will call and collect. Wednesday, Oct. 14.







# RALLY SUNDAY

## Observed in Several Local Protestant Churches Yesterday

Yesterday was rally day in the Protestant churches and there was a large Sunday school attendance. There were 751 in the First Baptist school and it was a big day at the First Baptist church. Rev. Dr. Wallace addressed the school and five persons were baptized at the evening service. An excellent program was given.

Mrs. W. H. Peck sang, "There were ten thousand who followed William Penn," "Why a boy should go to Sunday school," "Why a girl should go to Sunday school," "Why a father should go to Sunday school," and Deacon William Peck, "Why a grandfather should go to Sunday school."

Highland hall, their temporary meeting place, was the scene, yesterday of the annual rally day service of the Branch Street Baptist Sunday school, and there were 30 present. There were selections by the quartet, words of greeting by Mr. A. F. Pease of the First Baptist Sunday school of Malden, and remarks by Rev. Charles A. Merrill.

A pleasing feature of the occasion was the presentation of certificates to those who had won the gold pin in the cross and crown system. This pin represented 18 months of perfect attendance

and four officers, nine teachers and 33 pupils were there.

A souvenir was given to each one present which was a pin with the inscription, "Branch Street Baptist Sunday School, Rally Day, 1908, and the school motto, 'Better work for Christ and more of it.'"

**First Presbyterian**

There were ladies alone at the First Presbyterian church in Appleton street yesterday. It was a novel service by the Sunday school with a rally of the "rally roll." There were more than forty ladies there and the children's choir sang several songs. Rev. J. M. Crala addressed the mothers who were present with their babies, taking as his subject "Mother's Training."

**Centralville M. E. Church**

Yesterday was rally day at the Centralville M. E. church and last night the Sunday school held a harvest supper. P. R. Peck is superintendent of the school and seven children were graduated from the primary department of which Miss Mollie Johnson is the teacher. There was a fine program and the affair was a great success.

## TWO THOUSAND FANS Filled Merrimack Square During Ball Game

Two thousand enthusiastic base ball fans were present in Merrimack square Saturday afternoon to listen to the megaphoned returns and see the bulletined returns of the first game of the post season series between Chicago, winner of the National league pennant, and Detroit, winner of the American league pennant.

The crowd was so large that it was necessary for Sgt. Maguire, Patrolman Ryan and Bumps, assisted by several other officers, to keep constantly on the alert in order to keep the crossings cleared and prevent people from obstructing the car traffic.

That the local admirers have taken a great deal of interest in the national game was very evident and considerable money changed hands on the hits, runs and the result of the game. Chicago was the favorite, the betting being about 10 to 7, and while it was thought that Detroit had a fighting chance inasmuch as the game was played on the home grounds, when Chicago scored four runs in the third inning, there was a general slump in the Detroit stock and the people who had even taken the short end on Detroit were mourning the loss of their money.

The systematic arrangement provided by the Sun in giving the game in detail to the public was greatly appreciated by the fans and those who were not present in the square kept The Sun's telephones busy during the afternoon inquiring for the score.

Of course the crowd in the square

Let me tell you something.

We shall now have better things to eat

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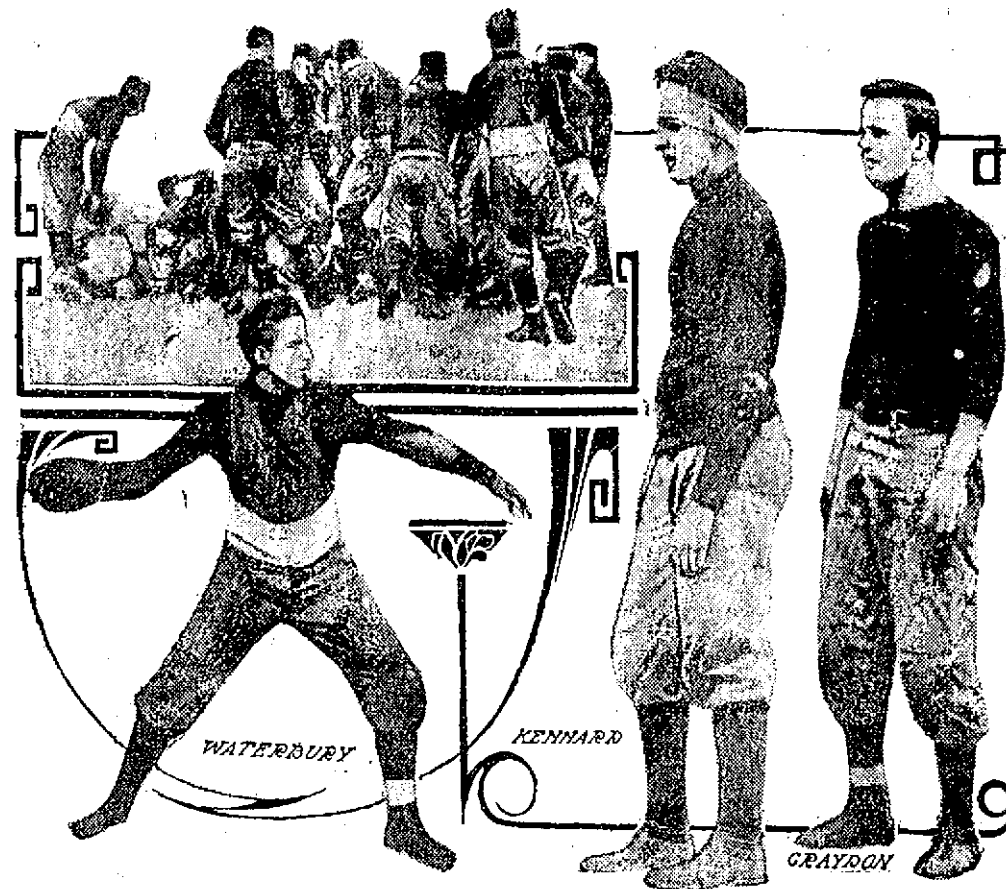
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All Kinds of the Best Coals

## HARVARD VARSITY SQUAD AND THREE PLAYERS



CAMBRIDGE, Oct. 12.—Coach Houghton of Harvard put the varsity team to the hardest tests in preparation for the game with Williams, which was really the first contest

which forced the team to extend itself. The varsity squad was driven to its utmost in ten minute whirlwind scrimmages and usually sent the second team flying back toward its own goal posts. Vic Kennard, Graydon and Waterbury distinguished themselves by clever and speedy work. These pictures were taken during recent practice at Cambridge.

## BURGLARS ESCAPE

They Blew Open Safe but Failed to Get Any Cash

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 12.—Safe crackers made a bold break in the Providence public market, a large-sized branch establishment at 35 and 37 South Main street, yesterday in broad daylight. The break occurred at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The front of the large safe, fronting the street, was blown off, but the crooks hurried away without getting any part of the \$2500 in cash which the market had taken in Saturday afternoon and evening.

While the face of the safe was shattered, the inner door of steel stood strong and the robbers were unable to get any part of the large amount of money which they apparently knew was in the vault. The explosion was heavy enough to blow out the front of the brick building and shatter most of the interior.

The tools were left behind, as was also a parcel of gunpowder. The safe

had been drilled carefully, but the robbers failed to puncture the inner door of the strong box. Entrance to the market had been easily gained from the rear and the robbers had evidently worked at leisure for quite a time before they blew the safe.

The explosion attracted a large crowd, being in the very center of the business district of the city. The police last night stated there was no clue to the robbers. They evidently got away to the water front as soon as they had realized that the explosion was severe enough to attract general attention.

The explosion of powder set fire to the window curtains and to other inflammable material in the market, and nearby residents rang in the fire alarm. The flames were quickly extinguished. The calling out of the firemen, it is said, aided greatly in the escape of the crackers.

**GOODYEAR SHOE FACTORY**

at the

**Sunlight Shoe Store**

To those who are particular about their Shoe Repairing: We have installed a Goodyear Welt Shoe Factory, with the same machinery used in the making of the finest shoes. We will make your old shoes new, using better wearing leather than the makers. Prices the Lowest.

**JAMES COUGHLIN, Prop.**

**LOWELL CITY LIBRARY**

Sealed Proposals

For cleaning and painting the library rooms will be received by the trustees of the city library. Specifications may be had at the office of the city librarian. All proposals for the work are to be submitted in writing and left at the office of the city librarian on or before 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, Oct. 17th. The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

**KIRK STREET DAY NURSERY**

Kirk Street Day Nursery donations for August included the following: Bread twice a week from Friend Bros' bakery; half bushel crab apples from Mrs. Joseph Sargent, Draught; half bushel pears from Mr. Fred N. Wier, Eleventh street; frosted cake, pies and bread from Albert J. Evans, Bridge street; vegetables from the garden of Mrs. Fred More, Teakshury.

The September list is as follows: Vegetables from Mrs. Fred Moore, Teakshury; fruit from a friend in Webster; magazines and papers from Mrs. J. L. Chaffoux; cake and doughnuts from Dr. Dugdale, 37 Central street; two barrels cake and doughnuts from S. Charron restaurant, 544 Middlesex street; bread twice a week from Friend Bros' bakery; pastries from Mrs. Peabody, Draught; 12 samples malted milk from Dr. Thunkett; lot of vegetables, including potatoes, squashes, beets, cabbages, carrots and cauliflower, from North Billerica Baptist church harvest concert, evening; peaches from Mrs. Corliss Smith East Draught.

## THE SCHEDULE

### OF THE A. G. POLLARD CANDLE PIN LEAGUE

The following is a schedule of games to be played in the A. G. Pollard Candle Pin league:

Tuesday, Oct. 13.—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.

Wednesday, Oct. 14.—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.

Tuesday, Oct. 20.—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.

Wednesday, Oct. 21.—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Oct. 27.—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery.

Wednesday, Oct. 28.—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Nov. 3.—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.

Wednesday, Nov. 4.—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.

Tuesday, Nov. 10.—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.

Wednesday, Nov. 11.—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Nov. 17.—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery.

Wednesday, Nov. 18.—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Nov. 24.—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.

Wednesday, Nov. 25.—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.

Tuesday, Dec. 1.—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.

Wednesday, Dec. 2.—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Dec. 8.—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery.

Wednesday, Dec. 9.—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Dec. 15.—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.

Wednesday, Dec. 16.—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.

Tuesday, Dec. 29.—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.

Wednesday, Dec. 30.—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Jan. 4.—Shoe Dept. vs. Drapery.

Wednesday, Jan. 5.—Dress Goods vs. Cotton Dept.

Tuesday, Jan. 11.—Dress Goods vs. Shoe Dept.

Wednesday, Jan. 12.—Cotton Dept. vs. Drapery.

Tuesday, Jan. 18.—Dress Goods vs. Drapery.

Wednesday, Jan. 19.—Shoe Dept. vs. Cotton Dept.

## BOYS' TENNIS

### SOME GOOD MATCHES WERE PLAYED SATURDAY

The boys' tennis tournament, scratch doubles, last Saturday on the Hickmeyer courts, resulted in some excellent matches. The attendance of spectators was very large and the various good plays made by the different players were well applauded.

The results of the rounds were as follows:

First round: Joe Meigs and Jack Robertson beat William Reilly and Crosby Wallace, 6-4, 6-2; Norman Brazier and Percy Parker, Jr., beat Truman Safford and Teddy Hobson, 6-3, 6-2; Hildreth Meigs and Roger Eastman beat Ralph Coburn and Victor Hockmeyer, 6-4, 6-4; Fred Church and Clive Hockmeyer beat Roswell Whidden and Henry Sturgis, 6-3, 6-3.

Second round: Meigs and Robertson beat Brazier and Parker, 6-3, 7-5; Church and Hockmeyer beat Meigs and Eastman, 6-3, 6-2.

Final round: Meigs and Robertson beat Church and Hockmeyer, 6-8, 6-2, 6-2.

The winners take the two first cups and the losers the two second cups.

Consolation, first round: Safford and Hobson beat Reilly and Wallace, 6-4, 6-2; Coburn and V. Hockmeyer beat Whidden and Sturgis, 7-5, 7-5.

Final round: Coburn and Hockmeyer beat Safford and Hobson, 6-2, 7-5.

## BOXING GOSSIP

The bouts for the week are:

Tonight—Frank Adams vs. Tommy Lawson, at Salem; Tom Sawyer vs. Edfield Walcott, at Portland, Me.; George Mennis vs. Johnny Thompson, at Racine, Wis.; Eddie Kennedy vs. Fred Broad, at Pittsburgh; Young Otto vs. unknown, at New York; intercity bouts: Manhattan vs. Brooklyn boxers, at Bedford A. C. Brooklyn; Mike Gannon vs. Johnny Murray, at West End A. C.; Eddie Morse vs. Joe Farmer, at Manhattan A. C. New York.

Tuesday—Joe Costa vs. Kid Murphy, at New York; John Coulon vs. Eddie Doyle and Young McGovern at Philadelphia; Matty Balwin vs. Kid Sullivan, at New York; Bill McKinnon vs. Bartley Connolly, at Dover, N. H.

Wednesday—Wayne A. C. bouts, at Philadelphia; Joe Turner vs. Frank Lynett, at Washington, D. C.; Johnnie Doban vs. Harry Scroggs, at Maspeth, L. I.; Jack Robinson vs. Bill McKinnon, at Lynnsville, R. I.

Thursday—Jimmy Gardner vs. Charley Seiger, at New York; Young Mack vs. Dummy Decker, at Baltimore bouts at the Broadway A. C. of Philadelphia; Fred Ward vs. Lew Powell, Indiana; Cal. Young Fred Corbett vs. Charles (Twinn) Miller, at Philadelphia.

Friday—Bill McKinnon vs. Chicago Jack Robinson, at Lynnsville, R. I.; Jim Stewart vs. Kid McNay, at New York; Joe Walcott vs. Bill Hurley, at North Adams, Mass.; State and Ontario A. C. Philadelphia, all-star shows.

Saturday—Dorsey vs. Frank Saturday, at New York; Y. C. bouts at the National A. C. of Philadelphia; Mickey Gannon vs. against best man that can be got.

## CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to thank those who kindly assisted us in the bereavement over the death of our kind and loving mother. Especially to those who sent floral tributes, and also to our kind neighbors who were so helpful.

Signed,  
Peter Pendergast,  
William J. Pendergast,  
Mary A. Pendergast.

## Just For Today

Three new styles of Cambrie Drawers, tucked umbrella ruffle or with lace insertion, always 25c, today ..... **15c**

Corset Covers of good nainsook, deep lace yokes run with ribbon, today for ..... **15c**

Drawers of good cambrie, umbrella ruffle of good embroidery, usually 25c, just today ..... **18c**

A small lot of Bengaline, Moreen and Embroidered Flounce Petticoats, styles we have sold for \$1.00, just for today ..... **50c**

Waists of lace, taffeta or Jap silk, some of them were \$3.98, none were less than \$2.98, now reduced to ..... **\$1.97**

A few soiled gowns that sold for \$1.97, \$2.50 and \$2.97, if you ask for them **\$1.25** today

No more 98c gowns, chemise and embroidery trimmed skirts after today for ..... **50c**

## THE WHITE STORE

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## RODIN'S STATUE

Will be Brought to This City

The American replica celebrated Rodin statue of Whistler, will be placed in Lowell, the birthplace of the great artist. Secretary Harrison S. Morris of the American committee in charge of the statue, sent word to this city to that effect on Saturday.

Representatives of the Lowell Art association, visited New York during the week and conferred with Joseph Pennell, a member of the international committee in charge of the statue. Half a dozen cities were bidding for the honor, but Lowell had the best claim, as the birthplace of Whistler, while the committee guaranteed the amount of money necessary to get the statue here.

This money was solicited here last week and many men desirous of helping the cause, pledged temporary gifts to swell the funds, while others donated permanent gifts.

As usual Frederick Fanning Ayer of New York contributed handsomely and permanently as may be seen from the following letter received by the local committee, to wit:

"I am more than pleased to know that you have secured the promises of citizens of Lowell of \$500, to erect a monument to Mr. Whistler. Lowell is justly proud that she has given birth to a great artist, and should do him honor. To secure a genuine work of art for Lowell adds double zest to the enterprise, in which, I doubt not, all Lowell will respond, to the end that the triumph of genius over opposing forces may not be forgotten, but be loftily recorded for the emulation of them that come after."

"Allow me to add the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) to the total you are promised, with the understanding that this amount shall constitute by subscription to said monument outright, no part of which is to be repaid to me hereafter."

"Believe me always,  
Sincerely yours,  
"FREDERICK F. AYER"

The permanent gifts to the fund including Mr. Ayer's generous offering, aggregate \$750, leaving about \$1750 to be raised by popular subscription. All Lowell is invited to subscribe to the fund and any amount will be acceptable. Subscriptions should be sent to Arthur T. Safford, 30 Talbot street, treasurer of the Lowell Art association.

The statue has been described as being "a life-size bronze figure of fame surmounting a boulder, or stone, on the face of which stone appears a medallion portrait of Mr. Whistler, also in bronze."

**James S. Hastings' Great Assignee's Sale**

Of High Grade House Furnishing Goods, consisting of CARPETS, RUGS, LINOLEUMS, MATTINGS, LACE and MUSLIN CURTAINS of every description, PORTIERES, COUCH COVERS, FURNITURE COVERINGS, UPHOLSTERY PIECE GOODS of all kinds. Hand-some Styles in WILLOW and RUSH FURNITURE, SCREENS, UTILITY BOXES, JAPANESE BEAD and BAMBOO PORTIERES and SASHES, with many other articles too numerous to mention.

MR. HASTINGS' stock of goods is so well and favorably known that comment is unnecessary. Everything must be sold for the benefit of his creditors, and low prices will accomplish this object. Do not miss this, the opportunity of a lifetime.

**SALE NOW ON**

Per order STANLEY E. QUA, Assignee.

Take Elevator to Fourth Floor. Telephone 2508.



# MIDDLESEX CO. A. O. H.

## Held Biennial Convention in This City Yesterday

53 Divisions, Represented by 250 Delegates, Took Part in Proceedings—John F. Donnelly of Cambridge is Re-elected County President

The Middlesex county A. O. H. turned out in large numbers at the biennial convention held yesterday in A. O. H. hall, this city, about 250 delegates, representing 53 divisions, being present. The session was one of the most important and enthusiastic in the history of the county organization. President John F. Donnelly of Cambridge in his opening remarks spoke in part as follows:

### President Donnelly's Address

County President Donnelly spoke in part as follows: "Once again after two years we meet in county convention assembled. The past two years have been eventful ones inasmuch as many new ideas advanced at our last convention at East Cambridge, which were hitherto discussed in a theoretical sense, have been put into active practice. We have obeyed the declaration from hundreds of our delegates as manifested in the legislation it achieved, and today we report on the fruits of our labors, and feel that we can be well satisfied with the results accomplished."

The progress of the order in this county both numerically, financially and otherwise has been highly satisfactory. We may not have realized our highest ideals but we have at least made splendid progress in the effort to do so. Our standing as a Catholic fraternal order was never higher. We enjoy the friendship, esteem, confidence and good will of the priests, bishops and other prelates of our church to an extent hitherto unknown in our history. They have manifested their interest and concern for our welfare giving us words of kindly encouragement and advice. The eloquent words of appreciation and praise uttered from hundreds of our delegates during the past two years is the best evidence of our standing in their confidence and esteem."

### Only Pastors as Chaplains

Our Most Reverend Archbishop O'Connell has made ruling that in the future none but pastors will be appointed to the office of county chaplain, thus depriving this county of the services of our beloved Father Flynn, a fact I know each and every member of the convention will learn with regret."

He is a man of sterling qualities and a priest who was ever honest with his opinions and advice for the best interests of the organization and ready and willing at all times to go to any part of the county to help build up the order. I personally wish to extend to him my most sincere thanks for the kindly advice and able assistance he has given me many times during the past four years in my endeavor to bring the organization to the highest standard."

The reports of my colleagues on the county board, Brothers Conney and Gavin, show the financial standing of the order. Both have been thorough and painstaking in discharging the duties of their offices. To them and all other members of our county board, who have so kindly shared the burden of the labors and offered advice on many important matters, and to whom a debt of gratitude is due I wish to personally extend my kindest wishes and assure them that I shall ever remember with great pleasure my associations with them as fellow members of the county board."

### Increase in Membership

In calling your attention to the work accomplished and the results obtained, I beg to return to the various divisions of the order in the county who have aided us in the task my hearty appreciation of their labors and sacrifices. The work undertaken has been varied in character although including matters of great importance. Notwithstanding the great business depression of the last ten months which affected so many of our divisions in different parts of the county I am pleased to report the largest increase in membership made by any county in the state if not in the country. At the last county convention held in East Cambridge there were in good standing 530 members."

During the past two years we have met with many losses from death in our ranks. Many of our older members, who for years were the standard bearers of the order, building it up to its present prosperous standing, have passed away. Among them our own beloved state secretary, John P. Mahoney of this city, who was ever a sincere Hibernian and an ardent worker in our cause. His genial presence and familiar figure will be missed not alone in this, his native city, but in every other locality where the members of our order gather in convention."

I am very much pleased to state that "the stage Irish man" has been almost entirely driven from the American stage except for a few rare instances which show that the evil still exists in a few sections, but our crusade has met with practically complete success. I would recommend that the work undertaken be continued and that our own division when holding entertainments, lectures or smoke talks take care that the programs for these affairs be in such shape as to reflect the highest ideals of our race. A few publishers of comic postal cards still continue to portray ridiculous and offensive caricatures of our people and I would recommend that our members withhold their patronage from stores having for sale these cards and advise their friends to do likewise. It affords me much gratification to be able to pay tribute in any humble way to that magnificent body of Irish women in this county who compose the Ladies' auxiliary. Their works in advocating Hibernianism in all parts of the county cannot be too highly commended and their work in the cause of Irish nationality cannot be too highly appreciated. Much good has resulted from their assistance and we have cause to congratulate ourselves

on the wisdom of the foundation of the auxiliary and should give this band of Irish women every assistance in our power."

It might be suggested that there are yet many wrongs to be righted and

many reforms to be inaugurated. We believe that at times our members leave themselves open to criticism. Our musical events and division entertainments must always consist of that which is creditable to our people in the highest and most dignified sense of the word. I would recommend that only the beautiful music of our national poets, the eloquence of our orators and the melodies and patriotic airs of America combined with the production of our most classic Irish composers appear on our programs. At our last national convention at Indianapolis the policy of the organization was adopted and it becomes all good Hibernians to live up to that policy."

Many changes were made in our constitution and it is to be hoped that these changes will prove beneficial to the management of our order. Among the changes adopted was one relative to the representation at the national convention, wherein this county is now entitled to twice as many delegates as it has had heretofore."

A noble auxiliary of our order in this state is the Hibernian insurance, under the corporate title of "The A. O. H. Widows and Orphans' Fund." While much has been said as regards the introduction of a general plan of insurance into the order throughout the country, owing to the fact that in states where such an organization exists the number of divisions have been lessened, I find after careful investigation that the plan of insurance as carried on in Massachusetts is far superior to that of other states, its management being carefully guarded in accordance with the strict laws of the state, which are sufficient to insure the members protection."

The Widows and Orphans' Fund

has paid out in the last nine years \$150,000. While meeting all obligations on issue of one assessment per month, the Fund is also providing a reserve fund, the same being done by the taking of a certain per cent. of all assessments for such purpose. I consider that a more just method of creating the same than that of any fraternal insurance in this state."

By a vote adopted at our last state convention in Lynn the Working Boys' Home has been placed in our charge as a charitable institution to which we should give our attention. In the future all our charity should be devoted to the institution in order that we may do as much for the Home as the division in the southern part of the state, which has succeeded in giving much help. It would be well also for each division in the state to lend it a credit to support an institution of this kind deserving of every assistance that is in our power to give."

Upon you, brothers, who represent the various divisions throughout the county of Middlesex, will depend the future advancement of the A. O. H. Your intelligence, determination, loyalty and honesty of purpose will, I believe, enable you to carry on the work of uniting the scattered members of our race, and thus place the Ancient Order of Hibernians in the forefront of the fraternal organizations of the world. Its beneficent influence for the elevation of the scattered Irish exiles who have suffered the persecution and the tyranny of centuries can only continue by virtue of the work which must be done by every member of the order in disseminating our principles broad cast among our people and getting them to affiliate themselves with the A. O. H."

The membership committee reported a membership of 7600 with property valued at \$110,000. Much of the prosperity of the organization has been due to the untiring efforts of County President Donnelly who has held the office for four years and who was elected by acclamation. James O'Sullivan of this city was placed in nomination but Mr. O'Sullivan declined the honor and eloquently supported Mr. Donnelly."

One matter deeply regretted by the convention was the retirement of County Chaplain Rev. John P. Flynn, O. M. L., and it was voted that the incoming county board draw up a set of resolutions expressing the gratitude of the body for the splendid services of the retiring chaplain and its regret that he could not continue longer in the office. Fr. Flynn made an eloquent address as did Rev. Philip O'Donnell of Boston, John J. Rogers of Worcester and State Vice President John Dillon."

The other officers elected were County Vice-President P. J. Mahoney of Malden, Recording Secretary John M. Craig of Salem, Financial Secretary Joseph B. Conney of Watertown, Treasurer Thomas J. Green of West Newton. All officers elected were installed by State Vice President John Dillon. Resolutions were adopted embodying many valuable recommendations of the county president, and the policy of the national convention, held recently. Resolutions were also adopted on the death of State Secretary John P. Mahoney of Lowell."

During intermission refreshments were served to the delegates and a vote of thanks was given to the Lowell branch for the hospitality extended the visitors. Division 5 will hold a regular meeting this evening and Division 11 will meet tomorrow evening."

### LADIES OF CHARITY

#### HELD AN IMPORTANT MEETING, YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

At St. John's hospital, yesterday afternoon, there was a very largely attended meeting of the "Ladies of Charity" of that institution. It was the initial meeting of the year, the principal business being the election of officers for the ensuing year with the following result:

Mrs. M. P. Lawler, president; Mrs. P. G. Gilbride, first vice-president; Mrs. P. F. Conaton, second vice-president; Rev. Sister Raphael, treasurer; Rev. Sister Alphonsus, corresponding secretary; M. Alice Cox, recording secretary."

The board of directors chosen by the officers was as follows: Mrs. Wm. P. Barry, chairman; Mrs. E. D. Kerwin, Mrs. Charles Keyes, Miss Grace C. Delaney, Mrs. P. F. Devine, Mrs. Hugh Downey, Mrs. Susan Flynn, Mrs. P. F. Sullivan, Mrs. Mary Dunham, Mrs. Hugh McKosher, Mrs. P. W. Reilly, Miss Louise Drach, Mrs. A. D. Ware, Miss Alice T. Clark, Mrs. A. E. Chase, Mrs. Elizabeth Lang."

The other business transacted was the payment of fees, many generously taking advantage of the opportunity. The invitation from the board of charities to the society to appoint a committee to attend a meeting to be held October 15, to formulate plans to extend the works of charity throughout the city, was read and unanimously accepted by the society. A committee was accordingly appointed to attend the same. The resignation of Miss Rose Dowd, the past president, and Miss Mary Seery, the past corresponding secretary, were read and accepted and a committee appointed to extend to them a vote of thanks for their labors. The meeting then adjourned."

### MAN KILLED

#### HE WAS MISTAKEN FOR A MOOSE

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 12.—John Richardson, aged 50, was yesterday shot dead by John Chivers, a hunter at Sable River. Richardson had gone into the underbrush to gather fire wood and was returning with a load on his shoulders when Chivers, who was moose hunting, mistaking him for a moose, fired. The first shot lodged in the leg which Chivers supposed was a moose and finding that he had no game he aimed twice. The third shot took effect and Richardson fell when Chivers, half-blind with grief, reached him."

# FOR NEW CHURCH

## Cornerstone Laid For Primitive Methodist Edifice

The cornerstone of the new Lawrence street Primitive Methodist church was laid Saturday with appropriate ceremony, the name of the architect, and the names of the workmen employed on the foundation. Also the program of this service, and a photograph of the old church edifice on Moore street."

The president of the board of trustees, Thomas E. Wilde, presented to Rev. N. W. Matthews the trowel to be used in laying the stone."

In accepting, Mr. Matthews said it gave him peculiar pleasure, because of the fact of his identification with the Primitive Methodist movement in Lowell."

The first day of January, will complete the 20th year since he first came to the city and began work in the old Gorham street church."

Mr. Matthews prepared the mortar for the reception of the stone, and the polished cornerstone, bearing the date, "A. D. 1888," was placed in position by the workmen."

Rev. C. H. Kershaw offered prayer, and after the singing of the hymn "How Firm a Foundation," the gathering was dismissed with the benediction."



REV. N. W. MATTHEWS, Minister of the First P. M. Church.

of Methuen. Rev. A. R. Teedacre of the Paige Street Free Baptist church, offered prayer, and scripture lessons were read, from the Old Testament, by Rev. Benedict Nilsson of the Swedish M. E. church, and from the New Testament, by Rev. Charles R. Merrill."

The address was by Rev. A. Humphries of Methuen."

After an anthem by the choir, Mr. Robert Catherwood, the clerk of the society, read the list of documents to be placed in the cavity under the stone. These were: A Bible, a hymn book, a Primitive Methodist Journal, the conference minutes, the church discipline, the daily papers, the list of members of church, Sunday school, La-

# BROKE HIS LEG

In the game between the Y. M. C. I. and Chelsea A. A. Craig, the captain of the Lowell team received a broken leg. He was going through the centre for gains when the players of the visiting team pilled on him with the result as above stated."

### HIGH STREET CHURCH

Sermon by Rev. A. C. Ferrin, Pastor

At the High Street Congregational church, Sunday morning, the pastor, Rev. A. C. Ferrin, applied the story of Zacharias to modern business and political conditions."

He said that the extortionate methods were used by Zacharias and spoke of the prejudice excited against tax-payers by the methods generally in use. It was the story of the tax-gatherer of Middle times brought up to date. The preacher said, in part: "It is just so in politics. Clean, irreproachable men shrink from entering political life because of the odium attached to the career. Even a clean politician finds it difficult to get his dirt and for this reason no doubt, weak men have said, 'It is no use trying, I might as well get all I can out of it. I will get the name and I might as well have the game, too.' This is unfortunate. But the remedy is not in demanding that the public must not be watchful. That would mean the stultification of the public conscience and we have had enough of that. The remedy lies in demanding insistently and persistently honest men in politics, and then in supporting them with our votes and influence when we have gotten them."

"Nothing has done more in this age and country to dull the human conscience; nothing is more responsible for the conflict between labor and capital—the haughtiness of capital and exactions of labor; few things are more responsible for the indifference to the authority of religion, than the attitude among business men that they can divorce business from all questions of moral obligation beyond legal justice. It is an impossible attitude."

### NEW OFFICERS

#### INSTALLED BY THE FRENCH AMERICAN FORESTERS

Court Blanche de Castille, French American Foresters, has elected and installed the following officers for the ensuing term: Chief forester, Miss Suzanne Lefebvre; sub-chief ranger, Miss Eva Leblanc; treasurer, Miss Ida Fortin; financial secretary, Miss Anna Champagne; recording secretary, Miss Alma Malouin; first guard, Miss Louise Teller; second guard, Miss Angeline McKinnon; first sentinel, Miss Rose Coulombe; second sentinel, Miss Louise Laurence; first trustee, Miss Diana Drouin; second trustee, Miss Victoria Lebel; third trustee, Miss Clotilde Guellette; dean, Miss Valentine Cognac."

### LOCAL POLICE

#### WARNED THAT BURGLARS ARE WORKING IN THE HIGHLANDS.

The local police are on the lookout for burglars who have been operating in the Highlands within the past week. In each case the burglars have been after money, for in nearly every case valuables have been left behind. The following were the houses entered:

William G. Gardner, 475 Wilbur street; Mrs. Susan M. Andrews, 318 Stevens street; Frank H. Putnam, 11 Marlborough street; and Mrs. Lucy Brennan, 11 Robbins street."

### PONY AUTO RACES

The third of a series of pony automobile races held on the Eleventh street speedway in Centerville was pulled off Saturday afternoon and Arthur Isherwood was the winner of the first prize, which was \$1. Junior Ellingwood was the second driver to cross the tape and Gerald Baron third."

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50-yard and 60-yard spools, in all colors. Regular price 5c. Monday Evening Price, 3 Spools for 10c

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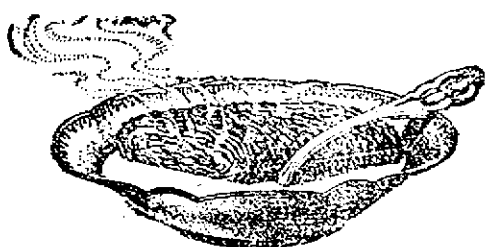
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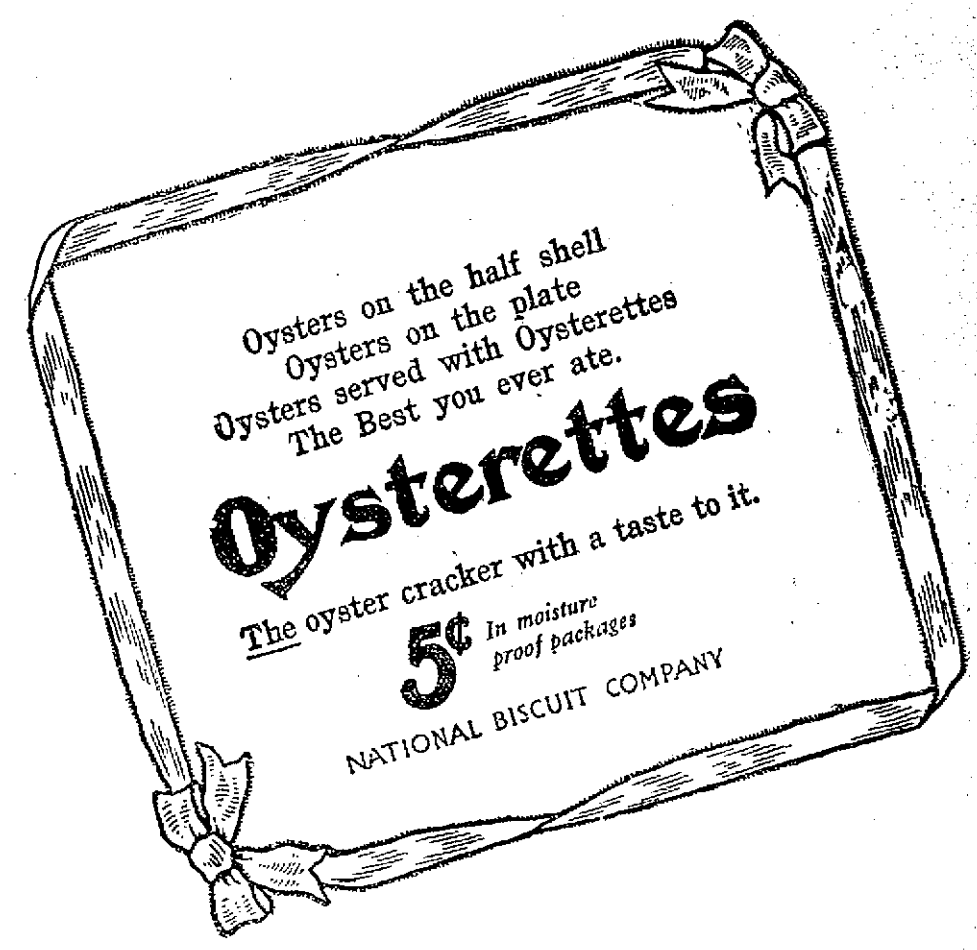


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# GOVERNORS CONFER CALLED TO COURT

## Preservation of New England's Resources Was Discussed

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—An official statement regarding the conference of New England governors held Saturday afternoon at the Algonquin club, was given out last night by Frank L. Dean, the secretary of the conference, with the authorization of the governors of Massachusetts, Connecticut, Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine. The statement in part follows:

"For the first time in the history of New England as far as known, the governors of every New England state met in conference at the Algonquin club on Saturday afternoon at the invitation of Governor Guild, and definitely decided upon the program for the coming conference on the preservation of New England's interests and the preservation of New England resources. There is a peculiar bond which unites the New England states not only in community of aspiration but even in material interests. Though the exigency was somewhat sensational, the conference of governors brought out a most remarkable harmony of feeling and in every case the details of the program adopted met with unanimous approval. It was generally agreed that there were great possibilities of advantage to the entire section.

The representation of the various states was as follows:

"That the governors should themselves participate in it and should invite as members the lieutenant-governors, the attorney general, the presidents of New England senates, and speakers of New England houses of representatives, together with the members of congress and senators from New England. To those official members of the conference it was decided that the governors of the different states should add prominent citizens, representing the various walks of life to the number of two for each representative in congress and two for each senator from New England states.

## FOUND IN RUINS

The Bones of Five Bodies Recovered

RICHFORD, Vt., Oct. 12.—The bones of five bodies were unearthed yesterday by the workmen who are overhauling the ruins of the elevator. None of those can be identified, but other bones which were found on the Canadian Pacific railroad tracks are supposed to be those of Mrs. Jelliffe, one of the victims who was walking there at the time of the explosion.

The railroad company had a gang of nearly 50 men at work upon the ruins yesterday, and a stream of water was pouring steadily upon the flames all day. It made little impression upon the fire, which gradually burrowed itself out. A rain Saturday night checked the fire materially and made the possibility of the flames spreading more remote.

Solemn and impressive services were held in the Protestant churches yesterday in memory of the missing Protestant dead, and in the Catholic churches for those of that church.

## POITS DEAD

HE WAS INJURED DURING A FOOT-BALL GAME

CANNONSBURG, Pa., Oct. 12.—William M. Potts, the football player who was injured in a game here on October 3, died yesterday, after having been unconscious since last Monday. He was seized with convulsions for the second time Saturday and an operation brought no relief.

Potts, who was 21 years old, played on the Schuylkill team. During a game with the High school eleven he was kicked on the head.

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restricted. The three topics of discussion for this, the first conference of its kind, will be tree planting, the protection of shell fish and the construction and maintenance of state highways, together with the regulation and taxation of automobiles.

"Tree planting will occupy the attention of the conference on the first day, the protection of lobsters, clams and other shell fish on the second day, and the construction and maintenance of highways, with the possibility of uniform regulation and taxation of automobiles, on the third day. In each case expert specialists are to be invited by the governors to address the meeting. It is expected that a discussion which will be restricted to the accredited delegates will follow.

"In regard to tree planting, the experts invited will not merely discuss the planting of forest trees and the extension of forest tracts, but also attention will be given to the planting of fruit trees and the extension and improvement of New England orchards.

"It was discovered that the widest discrepancy exists in the state laws of New England in regard to shell fish, particularly lobsters. The difference of law in the various states will be made clear and experts of international reputation will be asked to establish, if possible, a uniform policy for the retention and extension of this important source of food supply.

## STATE POLICE

Will Hold Convention Here Next Week

The annual convention of the Massachusetts Police association will be held at Lincoln hall, Gorham street, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

The convention will be opened at one o'clock Wednesday afternoon by Vice-President Henry Ryan of Haverhill, owing to the fact that President Edward F. Flanagan of this city is ill.

There will be about 150 delegates in attendance at the convention and Mayor Farnham has been assigned to deliver the address of welcome to the members of the association.

At the conclusion of the session, Wednesday afternoon, the delegates will be escorted to the local theatres, and in the evening a banquet will be given at the New American House at which prominent speakers will be in attendance.

Mayor Farnham will deliver the opening address and among the other speakers will be Lieut. Gov. Eben S. Draper, the local representatives, Senator Hubbard, Harry H. J. Read, chairman of the board of aldermen, Tyler J. Stevens, president of the common council, and other prominent speakers. Mr. Edward Gallagher, editor of The Sun, will represent the press.

On Thursday morning the delegates will be shown through the city beautifully and on Thursday afternoon the convention will be resumed and the business concluded.

## SHOT TO DEATH

Negro's Body Was Riddled With Bullets

EMPIRE, Ga., Oct. 12.—A negro named Henry White was shot to death by a mob at Youcker, six miles from here, Saturday. White started out to kill the family of Thomas Allen Saturday and on his way met another negro, whom he shot and wounded for refusing to join him in his expedition. He went on to Allen's home and shot him and his wife. A posse captured White and placed him in the lockup. Saturday night a band of unknown men took White from the lockup, carried him about a mile from Youcker, tied him to a tree and riddled him with bullets.



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## Selectmen Charged With Receiving More Than Salaries

METHUEN, Oct. 12.—Considerable of a sensation was created Saturday afternoon when Sheriff Abbott of Lawrence served summonses on Selectmen M. F. Emerson, Henry N. Hall and Samuel Rushton and Town Treasurers J. S. Howe to appear in court at Salem today. Treas. Howe stated that Col. Sweeney, counsel for the defendants, had arranged for their appearance Wednesday instead of today.

The selectmen and town treasurer have been summoned into court as a result of a bill filed by a number of citizens, including John Welch, C. H. Hall, Loren O. Norris, Alfred C. Gault, Clinton A. Clark, L. P. Smith, S. K. Nowell, Arthur J. Crosby, and A. E. Heald, for an injunction to prevent the selectmen from drawing any more salaries and to prevent Town Treasurers from paying them any more money. The bill also asks that Mr. Howe pay back to the town all over \$400 that he has paid to each of the selectmen.

At a town meeting last March it was voted to employ a clerk to the selectmen at \$800 a year. It was also voted that the selectmen be paid \$400 each for the performance of the duties of selectmen and assessors. It is now claimed that the selectmen have drawn orders for their salaries in excess of this amount and that they have been paid by the town treasurer.

## GREAT STRUGGLE BAD FIRE SCARE

Men Fought 535 Feet Blaze in the White House Stable

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—Atop the great iron tower at the Brooklyn end of the Williamsburg bridge a thrilling struggle occurred yesterday while hundreds of persons looked on from below. An insane man who had climbed the tower watchman, climbed an iron stairway to the tower, 535 feet above the East river, and was preparing to leap into the river when two policemen climbed up after him. The men turned upon the bluecoat with a riot and then on the narrow footing at the dizzy height a ten-minute fight took place which held all who witnessed it speechless with horror. The trio were swaying on the verge of destruction, and now back on the center of the small platform before the man was overpowered. Then he was handcuffed to a policeman and taken still struggling, down the tower ladders.

At the eastern district hospital the prisoner gave his name as Joseph Kratz of Brooklyn. He was placed in a padded cell.

## A PROTEST

SENT TO OFFICIALS OF N. Y. N. H. & H.

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Between 400 and 500 conductors and trainmen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad held an indignation meeting yesterday and framed a protest to be forwarded to the officials of the road against conductors being compelled to work on both passenger and freight trains. It was claimed the organization's agreement with the road provided for separation of passenger and freight conductors and that the mixing of the two was dangerous and compelled longer hours and less compensation.

## \$20,000 LOSS

BIG BOBBIN MILL WAS DESTROYED BY FIRE

LISBON, N. H., Oct. 12.—The James S. Moore Bobbin and Peg mill, with a large quantity of manufactured stock, was practically destroyed by fire yesterday, causing a loss of \$20,000. The plant was insured for \$50,000. Thirty hands were thrown out of work.

## THE AWARDS

For Exhibits at the Tuberculosis Congress

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Awards to successful competitors participating in the great exhibition which formed a vital part of the recent international congress of tuberculosis, were announced yesterday by Dr. John E. Linton, secretary general of the congress, and Dr. Henry Boyer, chairman of the committee on exhibition, in a report to Dr. Lawrence F. Flick, chairman of the board of judges consisted of Dr. Elmer E. Brown, United States commissioner of education, president of the World's Fair, Liberty, N. Y., and the Massachusetts state hospital, Tewksbury, Mass.

New York won the gold medal for the best exhibit sent in by the states illustrating effective organization for the restriction of tuberculosis.

Special gold medal awards for various kinds of work in the campaign against tuberculosis were made, including one to the Massachusetts state committee of the congress.

## THE FRALMA CLUB

The Fralma club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Secretary Mahan in Manchester street. Considerable business of importance was transacted and it was voted to hold the next meeting at the home of Frank Doherty in Penn avenue.

After the meeting the members enjoyed a dainty luncheon. Miss Margaret Mahan presided. After luncheon the following program was carried out: Piano duet, Frank Rogers and J. Mahan; song, "King of the Winds," by the "Fr Alma" quartet, consisting of Messrs. Winn, Doherty, Mahan and LaJeunesse. Acting President Doherty spoke ably on "The Club of Clubs."

There is a law that assessors shall be paid \$350 for a day's work and it is said that the selectmen were informed after the vote of the town last spring that if they desired they could draw the \$400 for their services as selectmen and collect \$350 a day for the time they worked at assessing.

Town Treasurer Howe yesterday said that the by-law providing that he should not pay out any money in excess of the appropriations was a hard one to contend with. The selectmen draw all orders and keep the town books, he said, so that he has no means of knowing whether or not the appropriations are being exceeded. The orders for their salaries had come along as usual to him and he had paid them. Mr. Howe, as well as the selectmen, is considerably wrought up over the matter. The action to reduce the salaries of the selectmen was taken after they were duly elected last spring, and at the time many citizens claimed it was an unfair proceeding. Others, however, claimed that if the selectmen did not want to submit to it they had the opportunity to resign.

The attempt to secure an injunction probably will result in a general controversy over town affairs, as many of the townspeople approve of the action of the plaintiffs, and many others are in sympathy with the selectmen.

## MANY INJURED

Riot Followed Attack on Strike Breaker

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—A number of persons were injured and windows at the Hotel Knickerbocker on Broadway were broken last night in a riot which followed an attack made on Albert Lind, a strike-breaking chauffeur, employed by the New York Taxi-cab company. A crowd of 500 persons, sympathizers with the striking chauffeurs, hurled stones, sticks and other missiles at the chauffeur, who took refuge in the doorway of the hotel. The taxi-cab was wrecked and three windows of the main dining room of the hotel were shattered. The guests of the Knickerbocker fled from the room in panic.

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## BOY FOUND DEAD

Lowell Lad Died in a Barn

FALL RIVER, Oct. 12.—A bank book on a Lowell institution which bore the name of Royal R. Phelps was found on the body of a 17-year-old boy found dead in the barn of Medical Examiner Thomas F. Gunning yesterday.

The young hostler came here three weeks ago and upon entering the physician's employ gave the name of Edward Sands. When he retired Saturday night he was apparently in good health. Death was due to an attack of heart disease.

## IN MEMORIAM

APPRECIATIVE MEMORIAL OF FANNIE MARIA CLARK 1850-1908.

Shortly after daybreak on Monday, Oct. 5, 1908, as the rising sun was slowly dispelling the thick mists which lay like a pall over the land, the spirit of a noble woman, freed from its earthly dwelling place, passed into that realm beyond, which though invisible is none the less real. Long years of association with Miss Clark led me to respect and appreciate her, and to realize the strong influence of an unassuming, devoted life. I feel that that life should be more widely known; that its simplicity, its purity, and its wholesomeness should be recognized; and that the memory of a devoted teacher should ever be held in loving remembrance.

Born of a sturdy New England ancestry, reared in a Christian home where the daily reading of the Bible and family prayer were but the outward symbols of a deep spirituality, trained to service in the church, educated in the common schools, Miss Clark grew to womanhood, and entered upon her life work with earnestness, enthusiasm, and faith. How well she performed her duties, how thoroughly and with what patience and persistence she labored at her desk long after the school day was ended, are but little known except to those with whom she was intimately associated. Stern and uncompromising in all her dealings, she never allowed the right nor to the left in the performance of her duty. Yet underneath this strict observance of the law lay a heart as tender as a mother's love, and a spirit as gentle and forgiving as that of a loving child. Charitable in her judgments, temperate in her speech, she stored no malice to her heart.

Miss Clark was always cheerful and happy, ever looking on the bright side of things, and never complaining of the hardships of her work, though, as I know, her burdens were often many. An hour before her death she had her sister a cheerful "Good morning," as she entered the sick chamber, and I know that had her friends been privileged to say to Miss Clark their last farewell, she would have said: "Say not good night," but in some brighter clime.

"Did me Good morning."

Many of Miss Clark's former pupils, now men and women grown, have told me of the debt they owed to her for her thorough and rigorous instruction, and have brought their children to school with the request that they be assigned to her room. Mindful of her straightforwardness, earnestness, conscientiousness and cheerfulness, I would write as her epitaph:

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Oct. 12, 1908.

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## BRAVE WOMAN

WAS SAVED BY THE LIFE CREW

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Waterlogged, her raft just appearing above the water and threatening every minute to capsize, the schooner Mary Brewer, from Bangor, was towed into port yesterday afternoon.

Taking her turn at the wheel and even helping the men at the pumps to keep the little craft afloat all Saturday night, Mrs. Edna Callahan, wife of the captain, did yeoman service.

Much against her will she was taken off the sinking craft with her four-year-old son, Robert, by the life saving crew at Nahant, when the vessel was off Swampscott yesterday morning.

## COUPLE GONE

IT IS BELIEVED THAT THEY HAVE ELOPED

WORCESTER, Oct. 12.—Upon complaint of Frank H. Wilson of Haverhill, village, Oxford, and Mrs. Charles H. Stanley of Oxford, Officers Fortin and Bedard of Oxford came to Worcester and were successful in tracing Charles H. Stanley and Mrs. Frank E. Wilson, who are believed to have eloped in an automobile Saturday morning.

Word was telephoned to the Worcester police, but they failed to head off the couple.

The Oxford officers believe the couple

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### TRAMPS AND THEIR EVOLUTION.

The Sun has been looking into the matter of boy tramps and has obtained some valuable information from that popular publication, Charities, published in New York.

The question of tramps is one of more importance than is generally supposed and volumes might be written upon the evolution of the genus hobo. To go to the bottom of the question would involve a discussion of political economy, of criminology, of industrial training, factory life, trusts, tariff, intemperance, the opposition now directed at the apprentice system and many other subjects directly or indirectly affecting the ability of a boy to learn a trade by which he can make a comfortable living. To lessen the number of tramps we must remove the causes that lead men to take to the road. We must especially endeavor to prevent boys taking to the road.

Most people, we surmise, would be amazed were it possible to learn how many boy tramps there are upon the "road." Though there are no figures, some very significant facts have recently been brought out by Arthur P. Towne, Albany, New York, who reported to the state conference of charities and correction that the majority of arrests on the New York Central, between New York and Albany, during the summer of 1907, were of boys between seven and twenty years of age. Set this statement, which is paralleled on other roads, side by side with the phrase, "Once a tramp always a tramp," and many things can be prophesied.

We have recently had a striking case of juvenile vagrancy before the local police court and these cases are not uncommon. This habit of jumping trains, leaving work or home, is getting to be a very serious matter. Our vagrancy laws are often lax or indefinite, and not always enforced. Young tramps report that while on some roads the railroad police are active, on others, trunk lines especially, transportation even for long distances is easy. Short or suspended sentences have little terror for the boy tramp, and to have been in jail is often deemed a mark of honor, a sign that the boy tramp is progressing. If the boy had a trade he would never take to the road for any prolonged period.

Superintendent Franklin H. Briggs of the New York Industrial school says that easy access to railroad yards and freight cars is the most largely contributing cause of juvenile delinquency he knows. William R. George of the George Junior Republic says that train-jumping is one of the greatest causes of crime. "There are few tramps who have not started out on their careers by stealing rides when they were boys." And other specialists confirm these statements. There is obviously a clear duty here. In every way the boy should be prevented from hitting the "road." The reduction of vagrancy may be brought about in at least two ways. We may endeavor to cause a stricter enforcement of our laws. We may build farm colonies, we may apply the best principles of modern charity to the cure of the individual vagrant temperament. But far better will it be to prevent the boy from becoming a tramp in the first place.

Therefore, our courts should take particular cognizance of the grievous danger in which boys are, who are arraigned for the often trivial appearing offense of train riding or ride stealing. We must not be too lenient with these boys, on the easy-going assumption that they have been merely committing a prank. A perusal of Josiah Flint, or of Jack London's picturesque stories, or the statistics of reformatories and reform schools, will shed valuable light on this subject.

The probation system is most excellent in its working out with boys who have their homes in the cities where they are arraigned in court. To put a boy for some months under the supervision of a sympathetic officer, more a friend than a representative of the law, brings generally lasting good results. But for the homeless boy, the boy tramp, whose residence is unknown and who has already been inculcated with the "lure of the road," the reform school is a remedy that, while perhaps bitter at the outset, may save the individual and society later on.

One great shield for all boys against developing the tramp idea is to learn to use their hands in conjunction with their brain in producing something useful. In other words, technical training is the great preventive of tramp evolution. It will prevent it in the boy and in the full grown man. There may come a time in the lives of some boys when they long to see strange places, and with this object they leave home; but if they have a trade they will not go far until they drop into some place where they can earn good wages. There they get acquainted, make friends and get over their desire to travel. Repressive and reformatory measures are good, but preventive are much better, and there is no preventive more effective than to equip every boy with the means of earning a livelihood by a good trade. Manual and technical training would uplift tens of thousands who without it will remain a burden upon the community. It will not only make thrifty, law-abiding citizens, it will increase and diversify our industries and make our prosperity more general and more stable.

### THE CITY PHYSICIAN QUESTION.

After consulting several members of the Board of Charity, we learn that the present city physician, Dr. Foster H. Smith, is giving entire satisfaction, and doing his work well. That being so, we believe it would be wrong to displace him by a man who has just received his medical degree.

If Dr. Smith is to be superseded let it be by a man of recognized professional ability, not by a professional tyro.

The law provides that the inmates at the farm and the victims of accident or other misfortune who may come mangled or maimed to the police

station, shall have free medical or surgical treatment. That of course implies treatment by a man of experience and recognized ability, and it would be an injustice to these people to employ for this purpose a man who has had no experience except that received in the class room.

We do not believe any member of the city council would employ an inexperienced physician to attend his family or himself, and hence he should not vote to have the 400 or 500 people at the city farm dependent upon the services of such a man. Even though these people are poor they are not supposed to be turned over to medical students for experimental purposes.

### SEEN AND HEARD

The many Lowell friends of Miss Sadie Radcliffe, the clever character actress formerly of the Academy of Music stock company, will be interested to learn that she is this season a member of the company which presented "The Life of an Actress" at the Opera House, Friday and Saturday. As may be assumed Miss Radcliffe is making a big hit with the show, presenting an important character and in that inimitable manner that has made her famous among the character actresses of the stock world. Speaking of the Academy players of former seasons, Mr. Lynn Osborne, who played the "heavies" for last year's company, is on the road with Leigh Delacy and played New London last week. Byron Nichols dropped into town a few days ago while en route to Nashua for this year he is manager for Daniel Ryan. Charlie Clark, the well-known comedian, has bought the Knickerbocker stock company and is on the road with it, while John Lyons, of this city, is a member of the company. When in Boston drop in on the Boston theatre stock company with which our old friend John Geary is assistant stage manager and character actor. Donald Meek, formerly of the Academy, is making a big hit with the "Castle Square" stock company, though it is whispered in staidland that he signed a contract with the Boston Theatre company and then shifted.

### IN LATE FALL

Low, gray clouds, and a cold, drear rain;  
A trickling mist on the windowpane.  
A cheerless wind blowing 'round the eaves,  
And a deepening carpet of sodden leaves.  
And a southward sun  
Tells of summer done,  
With its rich, rare, harvest of golden sheaves.

A chilling frost, and a crisp air keen;  
The sunbeams glow with a myriad sheen;  
The ripe nuts fall from the branches  
And the day dies out with a sob and sigh.  
But the freeth heart  
Is a scene of mirth  
When shadows are falling athwart the sky.

An evening lamp sheds its mellow glow  
Where children are playing to and fro.  
The world shut out and the home joys in  
Forgot the day and its busy din.  
And the cares of day  
Fast fade away  
When the evening joys of home begin.

### EDITORIAL COMMENT

**Our National Anthem.**  
N. Y. Sun: The eminent bandmaster and projector of peace jubilees, Patrick Sarsfield Gilmore, was deeply concerned about this great country's poverty in the matter of a national anthem. Many others have suffered from similar anxiety, and several composers, who never succeeded in writing a successful song, have stopped into the imminent deadly breach with handmade national anthems. With singular unanimity these anthems have declined to become national. They have not even become local. They have just faded.



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### Wall Paper

—AT—

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away, and a heartless government has continued to recognize only one national anthem, "The Star Spangled Banner."

It appears now that Professor William Milligan Sloane, a profound student of history, is dissatisfied with "The Star Spangled Banner," and that he intends to procure for us a better song. Every good American who has tried to sing the present national air will wish his success. Government brass bands on board flagships and at army posts can play it with stirring effect, but for the ordinary unschooled singer it is almost as troublesome as "Killarney."

### PEOPLE OF NOTE

For the first time in the history of the university a blind boy has entered Cornell. His name is William H. Moore, and his home is in Brooklyn. He came to Ithaca with his mother, who guided him around the hill and to the class rooms. He has entered as a freshman in the College of Arts and Sciences, and hopes to be able to take the A. B. degree. Moore for some time has been a student at the New York Institute for the Blind. He has engaged a reader who will assist him in his studies. His work will be carried on by means of raised type. He says that after he has been at Cornell for several weeks and becomes acquainted with the campus he can easily find his way about. He is about 15 years of age, and is reputed to be a bright student.

By invitation of the Ousemequin club the Massachusetts State Federation will hold its autumn meeting at Bridgewater on Tuesday, November 3. The meeting will be held in the Congregational church. At the morning session the speaker will be Mrs. Margaret J. Blair, of St. Paul, Minnesota, head of the domestic arts department of the Minnesota State Agricultural school. Her subject will be "Home-Making as an Art." The speaker for the afternoon will be Melville Dawsey, president of the Lake Placid club, whose subject will be "The Future of Home Economics."

The Rev. Dr. William Douglas MacKenzie, president of the Hartford Theological seminary, is the New England member of the International Sunday Lesson Committee, and is scheduled to be one of the prominent speakers at the demonstration to be held in Tremont temple, Boston, on the 19th, the object of which is to give an impetus to Sunday school work in and for New England. On the program, also, will be Marion Lawrence, the general secretary of the committee; Professor H. A. Hamill, D. D., superintendent for teacher training in the Methodist Episcopal church, who has just returned from a six months' trip to Japan and Korea; Rev. Dr. McMillen, teacher-training superintendent; Mrs. Rayner, the elementary superintendent, and W. N. Hartshorn.

Yale university will, by the will of Arthur Steadman, son of Edmund Clarence Steadman, benefit to the extent of \$2000, should his residuary estate be double that amount. The sum is "to establish a fund in memory of my mother, to be known as the Laura Hyde Woodworth Steadman fund, whose income is to be devoted to the general purposes of the university, the principal thereof is to be kept intact as a separate fund, and need not be separately invested by the treasurer." Should the residue of the estate not amount to \$2000, Yale is to receive half of its net value. The remainder goes to Laura Woodworth Steadman, a niece.

The British consul-general at Boston, Captain William Wyndham, retires from public life, and will live in London. Captain Wyndham is sixty-five years old. At the age of eighteen he was a lieutenant in the Royal Artillery, and was made captain in 1863. He retired in 1876, and four years later he entered the consular service by accepting a post at Jamaica, Hayti. He was appointed consul for the states of Colorado, North and South Dakota, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Wisconsin and Wyoming in 1897. In 1898 the territory of Oklahoma and Indian Territory were added to Captain Wyndham's district. After his transfer to Boston his district included the states of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont and Massachusetts. Great Britain has only two consul-generals in this country, one at New York and the other at Boston.

A remarkable series of ascents, some of them the most difficult in the Alps, has been made by a young Dutch girl, Mile. Henriette Nivel, aged 14, who recently climbed the Matterhorn and



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Mont Blanc. Accompanied by the guides Coutel and Hoffman, she has since again ascended to the Vallot observatory to visit the Russian astronomer, M. Stephanik. Mile. Nivel's other climbs are: Grande Charnoz, 11,200 feet; Aiguille du Midi, 12,005 feet; Aiguille du Grand, 13,195 feet; all difficult ascents—and a number of less important peaks.

During the past summer some extraordinary climbing feats have been accomplished in the Mont Blanc district by children and dogs. George Fay, a French lad of seven, accompanied by his father and grandfather, aged 52, crossed the Mt. de Glace and Maivale Pass—where a Parisian lady was killed a few days before—and the next day, always unaided, mounted to the top of the Brevent, 9,830 feet. Louis Venard, aged eight, and his sister Bertha, aged nine, accompanied by the guide Ravanel, climbed to the summits of the Aiguille du Pin and the Petite Charnoz, 9,300 feet high respectively. A young Parisian lady, Mile. E. Obichie, probably hearing of the exploit of the young St. Bernard dog which ascended Mont Blanc in search of its master, took her terrier with her when she made the ascent of that mountain. The terrier seemed to enjoy the climb and was not fatigued, eating a good champagne lunch on the summit with his mistress.

### LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

A return engagement of the sensational melodrama, "The Millionaire's Revenge," will be played at the Opera House this afternoon and evening. This play, which was seen here last season, playing to the largest business ever done here by a popular price attraction, is based on the famous Thaw-White tragedy, and was written by Hal Reid, one of the most successful writers of melodramas, who in itself a guarantee of excellent treatment of the subject. Perhaps the play is in the first act, the supper scene at which the artist's model is brought to the banquet table in a huge bag which on being cut releases the beautiful figure of the girl surrounded by adoring admirers. The company engaged to present this play this season is in every respect as good as that of last season and includes in the cast, Frank T. Charlton, who will be seen in the character of "William Daw," the young millionaire. A complete scenic production is promised.

### MARIE DORO

One of the earliest and most substantial successes of the existing theatrical season has been achieved by Marie Doro, now in her second season as a star under the banner of Charles Frohman, in "The Richest Girl," a new comedy in four acts by Gavioli and Morton, authors of "My Wife." In this play, Marie Doro's winsome, fascinating personality plays a large part, for to the role of "Benjamin's Mother," the chocolate girl, favored and wifed daughter of the chocolate king of France, she brings many of those quaint qualities which were earlier displayed by her as "Charlotte," in "The Morals of Marcus," and as "Charlie" in the Gillette comedy of that title, "The Richest Girl." Mrs. Doro's winsome, fascinating personality plays a large part, for to the role of "Benjamin's Mother," the chocolate girl, favored and wifed daughter of the chocolate king of France, she brings many of those quaint qualities which were earlier displayed by her as "Charlotte," in "The Morals of Marcus," and as "Charlie" in the Gillette comedy of that title, "The Richest Girl." Mrs. Frohman in this country prior to its introduction in the Gallic capital, where

it had its inception, is a comedy of particularly bright and amusing dialogue, with an abundance of comic situations which demand light and happy treatment by the players. Among those who will be seen with Miss Doro in "The Richest Girl," when it is presented at



MARIE DORO.  
In the New Success, "The Richest Girl."

The Opera House tomorrow night, will be the last of the season, especially engaged, Louis E. Masses, Frederic Eric, Frank Burbach, Fred Tilden, Desmond Kelley, Beatrice Moreland and Annie Meredith.

### FRANK LALOR

There is no abatement in the demand for seats for Frank Lalor's appearance at the Opera House, next Wednesday, in the comedy, "The Millionaire's Revenge." Ever since the play opened Saturday morning there has been an almost constant line of purchasers at the box office and there is now little doubt that the popular comedian and his great organization will be greeted by as many people as can be crowded within the four walls of the house. Knowledge seems to be general that this will be a performance of unusual brilliancy, and this fact, supplemented by Mr. Lalor's splendid standing here as a comedian, fully warrants the hope that the play will be marked by a success which will be recalled by the very first performance which Mr. Lalor gave of his earlier success, "Coming Thru the Rye," that the house was not altogether filled. Upon his first regular appearance, however, people were turned away and on every succeeding announcement of his coming, the house was sold solidly in advance. It is to be hoped that the comedian's greeting at this time will be marked by the same crowds with which his fine abilities were complimented during all of the return engagements in "Coming Thru the Rye." Inasmuch as arrangements are now being perfected by which the attraction will go to New York soon after the Lowell date, where, in all likelihood it will remain until the end of the season, this making it impossible to secure a return date for this city. The addition to the regular orchestra of a number of picked musicians from Boston, will be especially appreciated by music lovers of Lowell, and it will insure the rendition of the musical score of "The Millionaire's Revenge."

### HATHAWAY'S THEATRE

Occasionally, through misfortune, some of the Hathaway regulars have been prevented from appearing at the theatre, but all are eagerly advised not to miss this week's entertainment, as it is for such an amusement proposition to let slip. The new dramatic production of the play, "Pay Day," which has set the theatrical world in a ferment. The play will be given by the famous actor, Daniel Kendall, who has condensed and adapted the drama for a one-act play. The sketch has a strong dramatic interest, and the dialogue is well written and effectively acted. Mr. Kendall's rendition of the dramatic character is a most artistic and polished piece of acting, and Mr. Kendall, as "Pay Day," the artist, and Miss Fisher, as "Mrs. Vane," give him admirable support. They and Graham, "The Musical Band," and the Military Band, are a part of the entertainment which will soon be seen from all the others in its brilliancy and cleverness. The man's business of the South Highlander character is extraordinarily funny, while the woman is a

skilful performer on the largest saxophone in the world. Charles Leonard Fletcher is unquestionably America's greatest impersonator. His impersonations include the famous actors of America and England, and his performance is of very high-class and artistic. The Six American Dancers are a sextet who are unequalled in their Terpsichorean revels. Three pretty girls and three young men are included, and all of them have won medals galore for their proficiency in dancing. Their dressing is a feature of the act, as they appear in a marvelous succession of costume changes that are dazzling and bewildering in their brilliancy, contributing a very riot of color as the dancers trip about the stage. A number of intricate and beautiful dances are introduced, and the finale is a solo dance, in which each member which gives the act a sensational finish. Drift, London's festive juggler, the favorite of the music halls, does a bit of everything in the line of juggling, keeping his audience in the line of his performance over his eccentricities of action, and his cunning fire of jest. The Berkes, father and son, offer an entertaining medley of singing, dancing and impersonations. Robert's animals, including bears, dogs, and a cigarette-smoking monkey, will delight the children and please the grown-ups as well. The show closes with a series of the latest moving pictures.

### ACADEMY OF MUSIC

A play never before given in this city, a play full of thrilling incidents, yet with a large share of real comedy, is to be presented at the cosy Academy of Music this week by the Deshon-Pitt Stock company. The title of the drama is "A Girl's Best Friend," and a special effort has been made by Charles D. Pitt to make the staging interesting and something which has yet been put on the boards at the local theatre this season.

The play is southern and tells the love story of a little girl stolen from her father's home and brought up among the "poor white trash" of the Southern mountains. Miss Della Deshon appears as the little waltz who grows into beautiful womanhood, a role which calls for the best in the histrionic art.

Miss Deshon is quite sure of excellent support. There is, for instance, Victor Browne, who appears as her lover of the mountains. Then there are W. D. Anderson as the sheriff, W. D. Steadman, the villain who goes insane, and Billie Lackaye and Harry Horne in unusually strong comedy parts. Miss Chrystal Benson has a capital role as "Babe Jackson," while Miss Annie Athy and Miss Marie Port have roles well fitted to their excellent ability.

The play will be given tonight for the first time, and afterwards and evenings during the remainder of the week.

### STAR THEATRE

There are special vaudeville features this week at the Star. Vaudeville peculiarly adapted to the patrons of this house, mostly women and children. There is a strong dramatic picture shown entitled "The Gambler's Fate," which is intensely interesting from start to finish, and which has a happy ending. There are two roasting comedies, the one entitled "Uncle Bill's Bull," is about the best seen for a long time.

The songs are "Everybody Loves Me But the One I Love," a select ballad, and Kerry Mills' "Barn Dancer" song, which is the newest and best of its class on the market.

The dancing contest on Wednesday night is sure to draw the house full, as the amateurs on Tuesday nights are doing.

### CHANGE OF TIME BEGINNING

MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1908.

First car leaves Ayer for North Chelmsford and Lowell at 6:05 a.m., then five minutes past every hour up to and including 10:45 p.m., connecting with cars from Fitchburg and Leominster.

First car leaves Lowell for North Chelmsford, connecting for Ayer, Westford, Fitchburg and Leominster at 5:15 a.m. The next car leaves Lowell at 6:50 a.m., then thirty-three minutes past every hour up to and including 10:45 p.m. The 10:33 p.m. and 10:48 p.m. cars from Lowell for Ayer leave North Chelmsford at 11:15 p.m., due at Ayer at 11:25 p.m.

### SUNDAYS

First car from Ayer 7:55 a.m.  
Last car from Ayer 10:05 a.m.  
First car from Lowell 5:25 a.m.  
Last car from Lowell 5:35 p.m. for Ayer, Westford, Fitchburg and Leominster.

Last car from Lowell 10:33 p.m. for Ayer only, leaves North Chelmsford 11:05 p.m., due at Ayer at 11:50 p.m.



Blanche Bates Scores  
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tional Drama :- :-

# PLAY NEWS and REVIEWS

"Father and Son" a  
Flat Failure --- Faver-  
sham In "The World  
and His Wife," With  
Julie Opp :- :-

[From Our New York Dramatic Cor-  
respondent.]  
**D**AVID BELASCO has scored  
another success with "The  
Fighting Hope" at the Stuy-  
vesant theater, Blanche Bates  
appearing in the stellar role.

The author of the play is an un-  
known personage to the eastern stage,  
William J. Hurlburt, and, while his  
production bears various amateurish  
touches, it must, as a whole, be classed  
as a decided hit. Just what portion of  
the success is due to Mr. Belasco it is  
of course difficult to state, but it may  
well be assumed that the "wizard"  
had as much to do with evolving a  
successful vehicle as the credited au-  
thor himself.

**Blanche Bates' Acting.**  
"The Fighting Hope" is well staged  
and acted intelligently by a thoroughly  
capable company. Miss Bates is  
equipped with an emotional role that

toward the latter part of the play  
gives her well devised opportunities to  
"tear up" the feelings of her auditors  
after her fashion in "The Darling of  
the Gods." Miss Bates has never done  
a better bit of acting than in her pres-  
ent role.

## A Wife and Her Mission.

Mr. Hurlburt's play tells a story of  
a woman who has an unworthy hus-  
band. Accused on a criminal charge,  
she believes him innocent and secures  
a position as a typewriter in order, as  
she hopes, to get evidence of the inno-  
cence of her children's father.

But her efforts do not turn out in the  
way the wife and mother expected. In-  
stead she finds evidence that her hus-  
band is a guilty man. Later he con-  
fronts her, accuses her of infidelity and  
other things. However, he is shot, and  
the wife is left to marry again and so  
to mend a life that otherwise would  
have been hopeless. Probably there  
were women in the audience who fer-  
vently wished that the opportune  
shooting of husbands as occurring on  
the stage might extend to real life.

## The One Big Fault.

"The Fighting Hope" has one notice-  
able fault--the necessary action is de-  
layed. The playwright saves his fire  
until, in true Revolutionary style, he  
can see the whites of the last act's  
eyes. Of course a suspension of the  
culmination of a plot is necessary in a  
play as it is in a novel, but the delay  
of action must in a play, as in a book,  
be done skillfully, else the story falls  
on its followers and fails to hold inter-  
est.

"The Fighting Hope" does not sus-  
tain the spectator's interest through its  
opening passages, but the undoubted  
strength of the latter part is a meas-  
ure atones for the defect that other-  
wise might have proved fatal.

Charles Richman, who once aspired  
to stardom, was effective in support of  
Miss Bates in a prominent role.

## "Prisoner of Zenda" Revived.

James K. Hackett has put on a re-  
vival of "The Prisoner of Zenda" at  
the Hackett theater. Mr. Hackett  
himself appears in the Rose dramatiza-  
tion of Anthony Hope's novel, in which  
he scored a success years ago.

Mr. Hackett's acting has not suffered  
through his temporary absence from  
the stage. He played the leading role  
even better than when he originally  
gave it.

His voice showed especial improve-  
ment as regards flexibility.

The romantic drama won a host of  
admirers in the past and is again win-  
ning encouraging support.

The supporting company proved de-  
cidedly capable. Brigham Royce as  
Duke Wolfgang, afterward Black Mich-  
ael; Arthur Hoops as the Earl of  
Rassendyl, afterward Captain Hent-  
zau; Carl Ahrendt as Colonel Sapt,  
Miss Mabel Roebuck as the Princess  
Flavia and Miss Nina Morris as An-



BEAUTIFUL MARY MANNERLING, STARRING IN "GLORIOUS BETSY."

toinette de Mauban were especially  
commendable.  
William Faversham and Julie Opp

(Mrs. Faversham) opened in Washing-  
ton in "The World and His Wife" at  
the Belasco theater. C. F. Nirdlinger, un-

known as a stage writer, is the author.  
Mr. Faversham in the role of a young  
man found considerable favor. The

play treats of the far-reaching effects of  
slander on the fortunes of innocent  
people.  
The play violates a rule of modern  
three act productions in that its cli-  
max comes at the very end of the last  
act.

## Norris in a Failure.

William Norris has taken a painful  
tumble in "Father and Son" at the Ma-  
jestic theater. The play was an-  
nounced for production and then post-  
poned. Now that it has been put on it  
seems strange that the postponement  
should not have lasted forever. Mr.  
Norris is an excellent actor, one of the  
best in his field, but no mortal could  
make the play survive. Edgar Selwyn  
wrote the "drama."

## "A Gentleman From Mississippi."

Thomas A. Wise and Douglas Fair-  
banks are seen in the principal roles  
of a new play entitled "A Gentleman  
From Mississippi." They opened at  
the National theater in Washington.

The play is pretty much of a comedy,  
with several well planned dramatic  
situations, and it presents side lights  
on social and political life in Washing-  
ton.

## Gertie Millar's Success.

Gertie Millar and "The Girls of Got-  
tenberg," from London, continue to  
crowd the big Knickerbocker theater  
to the doors. It is apparent that Miss  
Millar will be welcome to remain in  
New York all this year and that the-  
ater goers during her stay will not  
soon tire of the jolly music, the songs  
and pretty little girls in Dutch military  
costumes that appear at intervals.

Miss Millar herself has grown into  
an enormous favorite during her stay.  
Her songs "Mr. Schneider" and "Berlin  
on the Spree" are enjoyed to the ut-  
most, and Louise Dresser's quaint  
song, "Queenie Was There With Her  
Hair in a Braid," is also one of the  
hits of the show.

## New Play For Mme. Kalich.

Harrison Grey Flske has obtained for  
Mme. Bertha Kalich's use the coming  
season a play by Mme. Fred de Gresac,  
who has written it expressly for the  
actress.

Mme. de Gresac made a careful study  
of Mme. Kalich's art last season, and  
she has created a role that is believed  
will give opportunity for the illustra-  
tion of her powers. The scenes of the  
play are laid in Paris and Switzerland.  
The story is described as intensely in-  
teresting. The chief role, which Mme.  
Kalich will originate, is that of a fas-  
cinating, gifted and impulsive woman  
who is swayed by the conflicting  
claims of love and an artistic career.  
The theme is neither tragic nor gloomy,  
but the interest is serious.

Unlike most modern French plays,  
it does not deal in any form with the  
sex problem or question of morals.  
The fabric is dramatic, however, and  
it develops scenes of emotional

strength. The play contains a great  
deal of comedy of character, the author  
having drawn some of her material  
from contemporary bohemian thea-  
trical life in Paris.

Mme. Kalich expresses her pleasure  
that she is at last to be seen on the  
American stage in a play that is  
neither morbid nor gloomy.

*Frederick Truitt*

## M'INTYRE AND HEATH.

McIntyre and Heath will tour in a  
big musical comedy by H. A. Du  
Souchet entitled "The Steeplechasers."  
Messrs. McIntyre and Heath will again  
appear surrounded by the usual lot of  
pretty girls and clever dancers. There  
also will be in the book a serious vein  
which will give them the opportunity  
to show their ability as the best inter-  
preters of the southern negro type on  
the American stage, not only in his  
lighter and farcical moods, but also in  
his more serious moments.



ELSIE WILKS IN SHEATH GOWN.

## Football Campaign of 1908 Opens With Loud Noise

**T**HE gridiron season has swoop-  
ed down like a wolf on the  
fold, with a dozen big college  
teams in action, and great is  
the joyful clamor thereof. Punctured  
larynxes and busted vocal cords will  
multiply like the long eared progeny  
of the Kansas jack rabbit.

Opening games in both the east and  
west indicate that the men now on  
trial as candidates for positions in the  
lineups in the big games of the latter  
part of the season are in many cases  
up to the required standard. Therefore  
the prospects for a season of really  
high class play are excellent and, as  
regards two or three teams, actually  
exceptional.

It was to be expected that the Car-  
lisle Indians would open the season for  
the big teams. These players are the  
chief advertising medium of the gov-  
ernment school at Carlisle, Pa., and as  
they have little else to do besides play  
football they are always in good form  
weeks before any other prominent  
eleven. Other college teams that have  
already played regularly scheduled  
games are University of Pennsylvania,  
Brown, Syracuse, Lafayette, Harvard,  
Yale, Princeton, Cornell, Wesleyan,  
Chicago, Purdue, Indiana and Michi-  
gan universities.

While it is difficult to predict the  
strength of football teams at this early  
stage of the year, the reports of con-  
ditions at various of the big universi-  
ties should prove of considerable help.

## At Chicago.

Coach Stagg's eleven is just now the  
most feared aggregation in the middle  
west. The early signs are that Chi-  
cago will round into championship  
form sooner than any of her rivals.

## At Michigan.

The loss of most of the veterans of  
last year has plainly discouraged  
Coach "Hurricane" Yost. Instead of  
thirty-five men answering his first call  
for candidates only thirteen responded.  
No less than seventeen likely Wolver-  
ines were debarred from joining Yost's  
squad because of the faculty's vigorous  
insistence that failure in studies  
should disqualify.

On this season's team, not counting  
Schultz at center, which position is a  
sownright certainty, there are but four  
men who have had experience. These  
are Casey, Allerdice, Wasmund and  
Watkins, all sure of places. Michigan  
plays six games before Pennsylvania  
visits them. Casey and Wasmund  
played in five championship games last  
year as varsity men, Allerdice in four

and Watkins in one, that being in the  
Penny game, Watkins having suddenly  
developed into a star at that time.  
Among the newer material is Dou-  
glas, a Martinsville (Ill.) lad who is show-  
ing up strongly for a back field posi-  
tion. Benbrook, the 210 pound Chi-  
cago lad, is now eligible and is being  
molded for a tackle position.

## At Yale.

Yale has a strong coaching staff on  
the ground at New Haven, including  
George Chadwick, Tripp, Al Sharpe,  
ex-Captain Biglow and Tad Jones, the  
great quarterback.

There is a pretty fight on for the  
quarterback position. The leading  
candidate now is Hopkins, quarter on  
the freshman team of last year. He is  
cool headed, a fast runner and a quick  
dodger when running back punts. He  
won the game against the Harvard  
freshmen last fall. H. P. Bingham,  
former quarter at Taft school, and J.  
R. Kilpatrick, former Andover half-  
back, are also aspirants for the quar-  
terback's job.

This year the line needs strengthen-  
ing, for of last year's team the only  
linemen back are Goebel and Cooney.  
The guards, Goebel is a second class,  
but Cooney will have to fight for a  
position in the line this year. Brides  
will probably be seen at left guard  
again, and Cooney will try for center.  
In Andrus and Hobbs Yale has a pair  
of tackles who will be exceedingly  
hard to equal. Hobbs played on Dart-  
mouth, and so when he went to Yale  
last spring he was temporarily dis-  
qualified for the team.

Coy, of course, will play fullback. In  
practice he has shown that he has lost  
none of his skill in punting, and,  
though there has been no scrimmaging,  
he looks as if he was still able to go  
through the line.

There is a wealth of material for the  
halfback positions. Fred Murphy of  
Westboro is probably the best of the  
lot and is sure to hold one of the  
places. For the other the most prom-  
ising man is Fred Daly, who played  
four years at Andover and who was  
captain there. Another promising man

for halfback is H. M. Wheaton. Yale's  
only drop kicker, who camped all sum-  
mer in Maine with Daly.

## At Harvard.

The Harvard followers are jubilant  
over the large number of men they  
have from whom to pick their team  
members. There are fewer candidates  
for the line than for any other depart-  
ment.

The choice of a first team should not  
be very difficult for Houghton just

now, so far as the line is concerned.  
There are Nourse for center, Burr for  
one guard and McKay, who, by the  
way, is the likeliest physical specimen  
on Soldiers' field, for the other guard.

Burr wants to play guard again this  
year. He did not take to tackle last  
year, and he never was as strong there  
as in the place he played on the Har-  
vard team in 1905 and 1906.

The return of Fish, tackle on last  
year's team, who with Burr repre-  
sents the veteran element for this

year's team, will provide for the other  
side of the line. Fish showed streaks  
of being far above the average line-  
man, and this, with the coaching he  
will get this fall, will assure Harvard  
individual strength of whatever side of  
the line he plays.

Crowley and Corbett, last year's  
freshmen ends, with Houston, a sub-  
stitute in 1907, are the likeliest looking  
ends; G. G. Brown and Cutler and  
Sprague stand as the most promising  
material for quarterback.

The presence of Houghton, Kernan  
and Burr on the field is enough to as-  
sure a good kicking department at  
Cambridge this year. Harvard never  
has had a scoring goal from the field  
kicker, but Houghton is one of the  
very best men Cambridge ever has  
turned out. He, Kernan and Burr also  
stand out as the best punters Harvard  
has had for fifteen years.

## At Wisconsin.

Wisconsin has a coterie of able vet-  
erans out for the varsity team in  
"Jumbo" Steinhilber for center; Messmer,  
Boyle, Iakish and Murphy, tackles;  
Lewman and Captain Rogers, ends.  
Whittaker, subcenter of last year is  
back, and he may be utilized at full-  
back. Paulas, a heavy man, looks good  
at guard. Taken as a whole, Wiscon-  
sin's chances appear bright.

## At Princeton.

The Jersey men are more confident  
now than at this early period for sev-  
eral seasons back. For one thing,  
enough veterans have returned to form  
a strong nucleus. Princeton is better  
fixed as regards quarterback than any  
other big team. Captain Eddie Dillon  
is a scintillating quarter, a field gen-  
eral par excellence, and his experience  
will prove of decided benefit to the  
team.

The Tigers will have a hard time  
finding a man who can make drop  
kicks and work the inside kick as  
Harlan did. But with McCrohan, a  
slashing line backer who wasn't eligi-  
ble last year and who is expected to  
fill McCormick's shoes, the veteran  
Tibbott, as well as Reed and Dawson,  
the Princeton back field promises to  
be a hummer. There is good material  
for the line in Buckingham, Waller,  
Stoging, Whaley, McFadyen, Welch  
and Dowd. To find a center the equal  
of Phillips and ends of the Wister  
standard will be a problem difficult to  
solve.

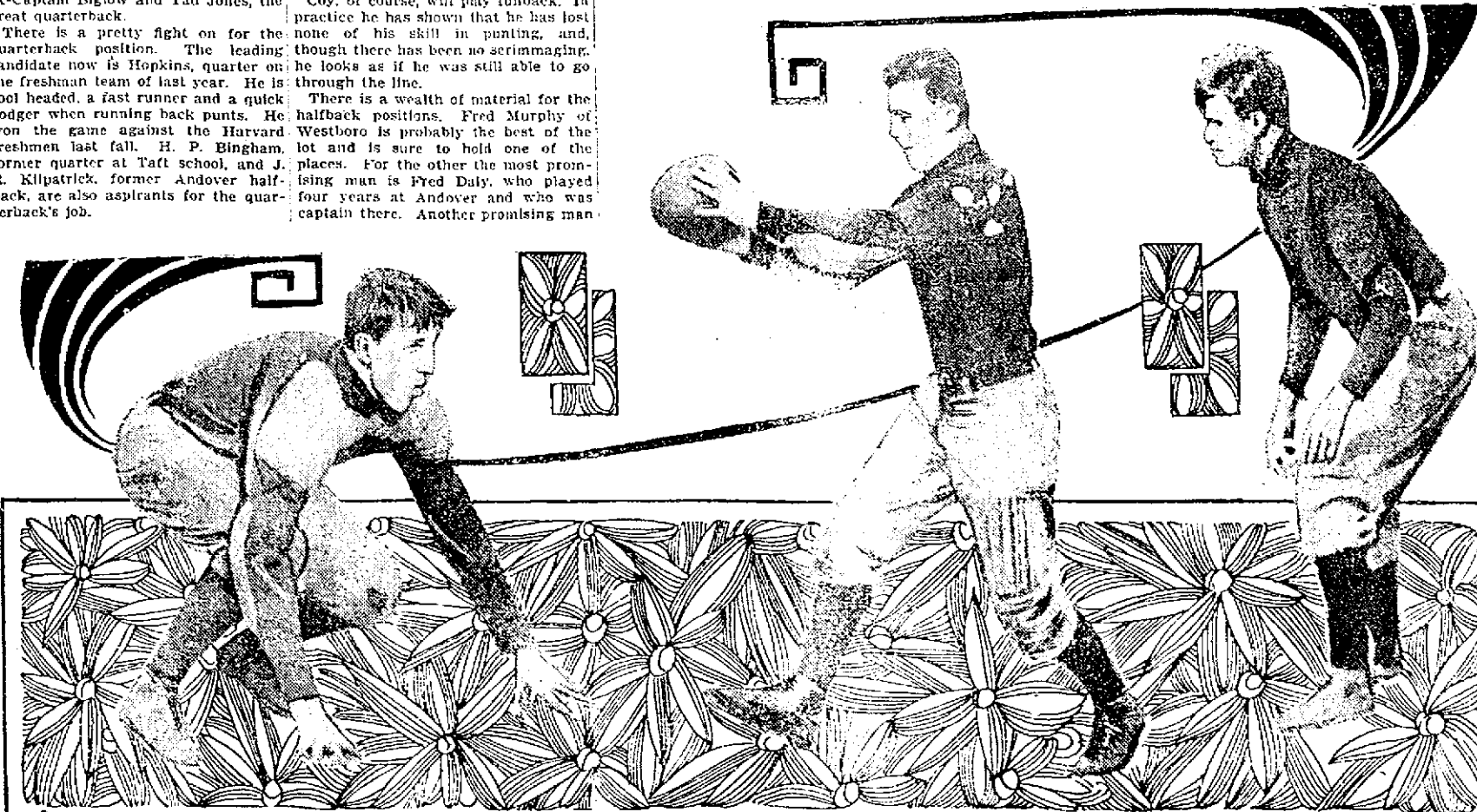
## At Illinois.

The Illini have nine veterans on  
hand, more than any other of the lead-  
ing teams. As a result, they clearly  
expect a victory over Chicago when  
they meet Oct. 17, a date far too early  
for Stagg's liking.

ARTHUR ROCKWOOD.

## DOG SHOW DATE.

The Bloomington (Ill.) Kennel club  
at a meeting recently fixed the date  
for its annual bench show, selecting  
Jan. 27-29, 1909. It is planned to pre-  
sent a larger list of entries than ever  
before.



F. DeH. HOUSTON, END.

GILBERT, LEFT HALFBACK.

V. P. KENNARD, END.

MEMBERS OF STRONG HARVARD UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL TEAM OF THIS YEAR.











# 6 O'CLOCK HE SCORES TAFT

## Pres. Compers Addresses a Circular to "Men Who Labor"

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—In performing a solemn duty at this time in support of a political party, labor does not become partisan to a political party but partisan to a principle," declares President Compers of the American Federation of Labor in a circular issued today regarding labor's attitude in the campaign. He charges that the republican party and its candidate stand for further extending into this country a despotic government vested in the judiciary and that the democratic party and its candidate stand for government by law vested in the people.

The circular is addressed to "Men who labor, lovers of human liberty," and says in part:

"The judiciary inducted by corporations and trusts and protected by the

republican party is step by step destroying government by law and substituting therefor a government by judges who determine what in their opinion is wrong, what is evidence, who is guilty and what the punishment shall be. Thus revolution is depriving the workers of their rights as citizens and will inevitably be made applicable to the business men later. Despotism under the emine is as dangerous as despotism under the crown."

The circular refers to Judge Taft as the originator and specific counselor of discretionary government. And Mr. Compers reiterated, "There is no political office in the gift of the American people, elective or appointive that I would under any circumstances accept."

# HARRY K. THAW

## Must Remain in the Matteawan Asylum for Criminal Insane

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Harry K. Thaw will have to remain in the state hospital for the criminal insane at Matteawan, N. Y., until the court of appeals shall decide whether he is entitled to a hearing before a jury to determine whether he is insane. Justice Mills of the New York state supreme court recently refused to grant the application of Thaw's counsel for a jury trial on the sanity question and decided to hear the case himself without a jury. Thaw was brought into court today and his mother and several relatives were present. The prisoner's counsel again moved for a jury

trial and when this was denied asked that Thaw be discharged from custody on the ground that the last trial for murder did not find Thaw insane. This also was denied. Thaw's counsel then declared that they had appealed from the decision refusing a jury trial and that until the higher court had given a decision they would submit no evidence on the question of Thaw's sanity. Justice Mills said there was no other alternative than for Thaw to be returned to Matteawan asylum and he was ordered to be returned to that institution.

# SUIT OVER HORSE

## Was Heard in the Superior Court Today

The cases of Hannah and Katherine Woods against Frederick W. Thomas, one of the wealthiest citizens of Melrose, which were opened last Thursday before Judge White in the civil session of the superior court, now being held in this city, were resumed this morning and arguments were heard, after which the court charged the jury and the latter retired.

The jury in the case, after being out for a short period, returned with a verdict in favor of the defendant.

Drew vs. Parker.

The next case in order was that of Wallace Drew against Harry M. Parker, it being an appealed case from the lower court.

Mr. Drew in his declaration stated

that he engaged a pasture in Steadman street, belonging to Mr. Parker, and placed his horse there. It is then alleged that Mr. Parker placed a horse which was suffering from glanders in the same pasture and that Mr. Drew's horse contracted the disease and had to be shot. Also it was claimed that Mr. Parker sold the horse, which it is alleged was suffering from glanders, to another party and that the horse was subsequently shot.

The case was heard in the local police court on April 21, 1908, and judgment was given the plaintiff in the sum of \$300 and costs, but the defendant appealed to the upper court. The horse owned by Mr. Drew was valued at \$125.

J. J. Kochman appeared for the plaintiff and William H. Bent for the defense.

# CREW IS SAFE

## Men Thought to Have Been Drowned

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Captain Moore and five of the crew of the British schooner Sirico who were supposed to have been lost when their vessel was wrecked off the Florida coast on Oct. 1 were landed here today by the fruit steamer Horatius, which arrived from South American ports by way of Havana. Two members of the Sirico's crew, who had been picked up by a vessel were landed in Newport News on Saturday. They believed they were the only survivors of the crew of eight as they were picked up after having drifted on wreckage for five days. Captain Moore and the men with him who comprise the remaining members of the crew believed that the other two had been lost and expressed great gratification today to learn of their escape. The six men had been about on a fragment of their vessel for four days when the Horatius fell in with them. The Sirico, which was bound from Brunswick, Ga., to Abasco in the Bahamas, was wrecked on Matanzas by a tropical hurricane.

# THE PRESIDENT

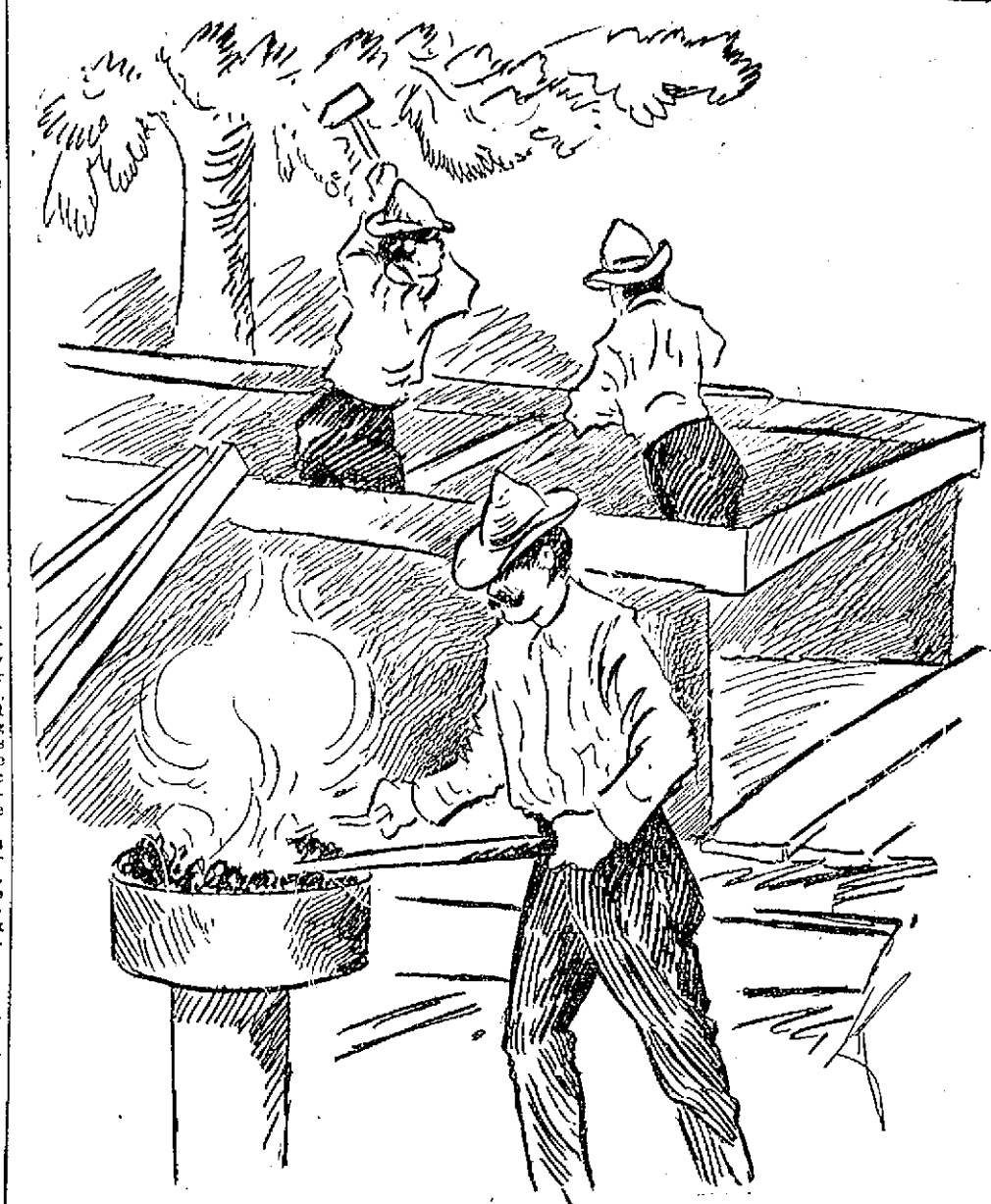
## RECEIVED JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Before the admission of twenty-two members of the bar, the supreme court of the United States which convened at noon for the 100th term transacted no official business but immediately adjourned to make the usual formal call upon the president. The actual business of the term will begin tomorrow.

At the White House the justices were received in the blue parlor and after shaking hands with the president, sat with him a short time. The president made no formal remarks.

# THE SUN

Is On Sale  
At Both News Stands  
In the Union Station  
BOSTON



WORKMEN BUILDING THE NEW IRON SIDEWALK ACROSS THE CANAL ON EAST MERRIMACK STREET.

# WIDENING BRIDGE

## The Work is Progressing Rapidly

The work of widening the canal bridge in Merrimack square, together with the lowering of the 34 inch water main under the northerly side of the bridge is progressing rapidly. The work which is being done by the United Construction Company of Albany is in charge of A. H. Kiltredge, secretary of the company.

The original bridge was 50 feet wide and altogether too narrow for the amount of traffic that passed over it, and it was very dangerous for vehicles making their approach to the center of the city owing to the abrupt turn when entering the easterly approach to the bridge.

The finishing touches were put on the skeleton structure today and everything will be in readiness to lower the steel beams as soon as the water pipe is lowered.

The construction company instead of melting the joints of the water main as contracted for, substituted the contract to the water department and this afternoon the joints were melted and the work of lowering the pieces of pipe started. The construction company contracted to lower the pipes in 36 hours and during that time the water

will be shut off from that particular main.

The steel structure is resting on six jacks, two on either abutment and two on the center pier, and will be lowered into place as soon as the pipe has been lowered. The work of laying the concrete sidewalk with granite finish and the erection of a railing will then be started and it is expected that before long the sidewalk will be ready for travel.

When the new sidewalk is placed in position the roadway will be almost ten feet wider than it is at the present time.

The Boston & Northern and Locks & Canals are working in conjunction in strengthening and improving the bridge. The railway company has placed four steel girders under the bridge and later on the Locks & Canals will put in steel girders and improve the roadway.

# INDICT BAILEY

## He is Charged With Murder

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 12.—Two indictments for murder and one for assault with intent to kill were returned against William Bailey of Pawtucket by the grand jury in the superior court this morning.

Bailey is a Blacksmith and is alleged to have shot West Howarth, a night watchman, William Gamell, a special officer, and Frank Hartman, a police officer in public, in Pawtucket on June 13. Howarth and Gamell both died as a result of their wounds.

An indictment for manslaughter was returned against Frank J. Lyons of this city in the case of Henry Kelly, whose dead body was found on Canal street on April 18. Kelly had been crushed to death with a big cobble stone which lay nearby.

# RESOLUTIONS

## ON DEATH OF JOHN P. MAHONEY

ADOPTED BY C. T. A. U.

Many matters of importance to the Lowell and No. Chelmsford societies of the Archdiocesan union were discussed at yesterday's convention in Brookline. President John J. Coyne and ex-Pres. John V. Donoghue of the Matthews attended from Lowell. John J. Curry, ex-Pres. Jas. P. Quigley represented St. John's T. A. S. of North Chelmsford, while Misses Belle Valentine and Rose McFarlane were delegates from St. John's Ladies' society of North Chelmsford. All the above mentioned delegates took a prominent part in the proceedings. In his address to the convention Rev. J. Haven Richards, S. J., took occasion to compliment the Matthews of Lowell for their work along literary and musical lines commending it as beneficial to the society. Financial Secretary Stephen T. Ward's report of the national convention was highly interesting. Resolutions were unanimously adopted on the death of the late John P. Mahoney of Lowell, a former president of the union. The resolutions were drawn up by Stephen T. Ward and John T. Shea. Mr. Shea, the first vice president, was promoted to the presidency, and Lawrence E. Murphy of Boston succeeds Pres. Shea. The recommendations providing for prizes were adopted. The matter of a place for the next annual convention was left in the hands of the governing board. There is some talk of the convention being held in Lowell and as a majority of the board favor the idea it is likely that Lowell will get the meeting.

# DRILL TO BE HELD

The first drill for the big Boston demonstration of November 1, of the Holy Name society of St. Andrew's parish, North Billerica, will be held in Union hall, that village. The North Billerica organization has a membership of 136, and three companies will be made out of this number.

# LOWELL WANTS IT

## This City is After Bowling Congress

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Two important meetings are on the card for today—the National Duck and Candle Pin bowling congress at the American House at 2 p. m., and a gathering at the Elks home, Everett, with representatives from the cities of Everett, Boston, Chelsea, Somerville, Cambridge, Medford, Winthrop and Malden, to make out a schedule for the Elks' league. Ex-Mayor Arthur W. Hatch will be president, James W. Bean of Cambridge secretary, and Henry R. Barry treasurer. The following are the committees: Fitzpatrick of Athol, Noyes of Somerville and Cogswell of Medford, rules; Hatch, Bean and Dr. Edward Hamm of Chelsea, schedule; Barry, Noyes and Cogswell, alleys.

The general outlook for the bowling season is brighter than for some years past. Renewed activity in existing organizations, and the launching of many new combinations, are reported. Today's meeting of the national congress will decide the place for holding this year's tournament, the last having been held in the city of Lowell. It is some talk of an effort to hold it in Boston, but several other cities also claim the honor, including Lowell, Providence, Worcester and Springfield. They are to send representatives to the city today with attractive programs to offer.

The old landmark in Boston candlepin bowling was removed Saturday with the passing of the Adams Square alleys. In their place, however, has arisen the handsome new Boston Alleys, an establishment that it is safe to say is one of the finest of its kind in the country. Complete in all its details, it meets a need long felt in bowling circles in Boston, that of an exclusive place where women players, even without escort can play. There is an alley exclusively for women players, and a club lounge room has been fitted in full view of the five alleys, with tables and a piano. Many applications have been received from clubs and organizations for accommodation.

# GEORGE TOWNS

## Was Defeated for Sculling Championship

LONDON, Oct. 12.—After being held for ten years in Australia, the professional sculling championship of England was won back today by E. Barry of London who easily defeated George Towns of Australia by a length and a half over the Putney-Mortlake course of four and a quarter miles. The time was 21 minutes and 21 seconds. Barry won a purse of £200. The new champion is a brother of W. A. Barry from whom Towns wrested the title in 1898.

# THREE MEN STABBED

## One of the Victims is Not Expected to Live

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—In a fight between two bodies of Syrians in the South End at 5 o'clock last night three men were stabbed. One of them, Elfin Irahwan, aged 21 years, unmarried, of 100 Hudson street is at the City hospital in a dying condition.

His right arm was broken at the elbow and he was stabbed several times in the back and right side. One knife thrust, it is feared, pierced his lung, causing a hemorrhage.

Three of his alleged assailants were taken to the hospital last evening by officers of the Larrabee street station, but his condition was such that he was unable to identify them. The men under arrest are Antoine Ayesh, aged 22, and George Lewis, Joseph Lewis and Leon Lewis, brothers. The four men live at 54 Hudson street. They are charged with assault and battery with intent to kill.

According to Capt. Egan, who examined eight witnesses, the fight started on Hudson street in the Syria colony, close to the corner of Kneeland street. Irahwan and some friends were passing along when suddenly knives were drawn. No one would state what started the fight. The Lewis brothers claimed that Irahwan and his friends were the aggressors.

# Stabbed in Hall Way.

In less than two minutes the street was filled with a curious crowd, and in the mixup it was hard to tell who the real combatants were. The fight was continued along Hudson street to Harvard street and thence into Tyler St., where Irahwan ran for protection into the house of George Murray, a Greek, at 77 Tyler street. Some men rushed in after him and he was stabbed in the hallway of the house. His assailants then ran from the house.

Patrolmen Brennan and Wilson rushed to the scene, but at the time couldn't find any one mixed up in the fight, as they had scattered, leaving Irahwan behind. The dying man was hurried to the relief hospital. Then the police, learning that some of the fighters had gone to the Emergency hospital, went there and found George Lewis and Joseph Lewis being treated.

Joseph had a knife wound about four inches long in the fleshy part of the forearm. George was also stabbed in the arm in a similar manner and had another gash about six inches long over his ribs. It required 32 stitches to close the wounds. He was left at the hospital under guard, and Joseph was taken to the station.

# SERIOUSLY INJURED

## Edward Scully Fell Down Stairs in a Local Hotel

Edward Scully, of Pittsfield, Mass., and a delegate to the convention of the state branch of the American Federation of Labor, which is being held in this city, had a narrow escape from being killed at noon today as a result of falling down a flight of stairs at the Merrimack House. He is now at St. John's hospital suffering from a slight concussion of the brain.

Scully was descending the stairs when he made a mis-step and losing

his balance fell head foremost to the landing below. The noise of the man falling attracted the attention of several of the attaches of the house who ran to his assistance. Upon finding that he was unconscious they sent for a doctor and the ambulance.

The ambulance made a quick trip to the hotel and removed the injured man to St. John's hospital, where it was found he was suffering from a slight concussion of the brain.

# HAVE RECOVERED

## Americans Were Only Slightly Injured

BERLIN, Oct. 12.—A. Holland Forbes and August Post, the American aeronauts who yesterday had such a narrow escape from death when their balloon, the Conqueror, burst in the air at an altitude of 4000 feet, had completely recovered this morning from the effects of their thrilling experiences. Mr. Forbes drove out today and examined what was left of the balloon prior to having it packed for transportation back to New York whither it will be shipped tomorrow. The envelope is torn into five pieces and there are also in it many holes as a result of its contact with roofs.

Although nothing definite has been established, the general opinion is that the accident was caused by the length of the appendix which did not permit the gas to escape with sufficient rapidity as it expanded with ascent. This occurred in spite of the fact that the valve was completely open and the result was the construction of great pressure at the top of the balloon which ended in a break. It was the purpose of the aeronauts by this arrangement to get greater lifting capacity.

Mr. Forbes said today that he had been overwhelmed with inquiries as to his condition and he has received hundreds of cards, letters of congratulations as well as large quantities of flowers. Emperor William has sent one of his personal adjutants to make inquiries and he expressed a desire to meet Mr. Forbes this afternoon. Mr. Forbes probably will go to England, where he will make other engagements.

No news has yet been received concerning the positions of the other contestants who started from here yesterday in the race for the International cup.

# ASSAULT CASE

A continued assault case occupied a little over an hour of the court's time, lasting till 1.30 o'clock. It was a case in which Henry O. Keyes of Westford, was charged with assault and battery upon W. O. Douglas.

The latter is a well known blacksmith of North Chelmsford. A dispute arose over work done by the complainant for the defendant. The bill was for the shoeing of horses and the setting of wheel tires for Mr. Keyes, who had delivered wood which he was willing to allow to be credited to payment for all the work that Mr. Douglas had done for him. The latter refused to accept the wood claiming that it was not the kind he ordered. It was alleged that Mr. Keyes while removing a wheel from the blacksmith shop was held back by Mr. Douglas, he holding on to the wheel with the result that his hand was jammed against a post and injured. It was claimed that Mr. Keyes was responsible for the injury which resulted in the arrest and the trial of today. The defendant was fined \$15 and appealed, being ordered in \$300 for his appearance at the superior court. Lawyer Fred Fisher for the defendant and W. H. Wilson for the complainant.

# PRES. CASTRO IMPROVED.

CARACAS, Ven., Oct. 2, via Willemstad, Curaçao, Oct. 12.—The health of President Castro shows much improvement. He was seen on the streets of this city for the first time since his return from Valencia. He has discussed with Foreign Minister Paul the answer to be given by Venezuela to the second note from the government of the Netherlands.

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# LATEST

## THE IRISH ENVOYS

Speak in Associate Hall Next Sunday Evening

An important meeting of the United Irish league was held in Harrington hall last evening with a good attendance. President Roarko occupied the chair and a pleasing entertainment was enjoyed, including a duet by Mrs. Mary and Emily White and vocal solos by Miss Margaret White, Bernard Roarko and Peter Healey.

The delegates to the Boston convention reported upon the great success of that event in advancing the cause of home rule for Ireland. The various features of the convention were commented upon and the assurance of the leader of the Irish party that home rule would be an accomplished fact in the near future was received with applause. It was announced that the Irish envoys, Hon. Joseph Devlin, M. P., and Rev. Richard McGee, the Presbyterian minister and ex-member of parliament, would speak in Associate hall next Sunday evening under the auspices of the league.

It was voted to have the meeting for the reception of the envoys free to the public and to invite all friends of the cause. Special invitations were extended to all the local divisions of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, the Ladies Auxiliary, A. O. H., also to Branch O'Neil, Crowley, Irish National Foresters, and the Lady Wolfe Tones, I. N. L.

The committee on arrangements consists of President Roarko, Bartholomew Toolin, Peter Desmond, E. J. Gallagher, Michael Connolly, John Desmond, Thomas Reedy, Cornelius Desmond, John Roarko, Miss Della Conway, Felix McCabe, Miss Julia

Reilly, Miss Edith Williams, Miss A. C. O'Connor. The committee will meet on Wednesday evening at the ante-room of A. O. H. hall, when a reception committee will be appointed to meet the delegates next Sunday and escort them to Associate hall.

Rev. John P. O'Brien, O. M. I., of the Sacred Heart church, was admitted a member of the league and made a brief address, complimenting the organization on the splendid work it was doing for Ireland and he urged the members to persevere as it would undoubtedly be but a short time until the Irish party would secure home rule. He said he had always taken a deep interest in the movement and was happy to know that its efforts were soon to be crowned with success.

Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I., was called upon and responded briefly expressing his satisfaction with the progress of the movement and giving specific instances of the great work accomplished by the United Irish league in restoring the land to the people and driving out the tyrannical landlords. He said the Land Act accomplished a great deal in this respect and the defects of the measure were soon to be remedied by a special act to be introduced in parliament in the near future. He mentioned various other measures of great importance including the Irish university, which he felt would be a great boon to the people.

Secretary Toolin read a list of the contributions already published and which were included in the check for \$125 given in at the Boston convention. The report was accepted and the secretary was instructed to convey to the contributors the thanks of the league.

## THE COAL MINERS GOVERNOR GUILD

Began Their Annual May Attend Dedication of Monument

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 12.—A convention of miners from the three anthracite districts of the United Mine Workers of America began here today for the purpose of formulating demands to be presented to the coal operators shortly before the expiration in April of the present three year agreement. The convention will be held behind closed doors.

It is believed that the miners will not ask for a general increase in wages but will demand adjustments where they claim the present agreement was violated and wages reduced.

### LOWELL PLAYER

SERIOUSLY HURT IN FOOTBALL GAME AT LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, Oct. 12.—As the result of injuries received in a football game between the Lowell Indians and the Revere of Lawrence, Joseph O'Brien, 21, the quarterback of the Lowell team, was badly hurt.

While in a scrimmage O'Brien received injuries to his head and internal injuries which render him unconscious.

O'Brien regained consciousness yesterday and during the day was removed to his home in North Billerica. No serious results are anticipated.

### ST. RAILWAY

WILL BE OBLIGED TO DEAD-END MANY LINES.

Merrimack square is to be torn up by the sewer department Wednesday morning, and the Boston & Northern street railway will be obliged to dead-end most of their lines at the nearest point to the transfer station. The Westford street, Chelmsford Centre, Lawrence street, North Chelmsford and Tyngsboro cars will start from the corner of Central and Merrimack streets. The Boston lines via Woburn and Lexington will run through Prescott street both ways. The Belvidere lines, High street, Oaklands and the Boston cars via Reading will make their terminus at corner of Prescott and East Merrimack streets, and the Christian hill line will go as far as the corner of Bridge and Merrimack streets. The Broadway, Moody street, Pawtucketville, Highland and Varnum avenue lines will run as far as where the sewer is being constructed in Merrimack square. Passengers will be obliged to transfer from car to car while the sewer is under construction, and which will take between thirty and forty days.

INTERESTING LECTURE  
"Northern Italy" is the most beautiful and picturesque part of Italy, the scenery of the Italian lakes is especially attractive and has been praised in poetry and prose for many centuries. Venice also belongs to this portion of the country, and a wealth of legend and lore has gathered about this queen city of the seas. Milan is famous for its cathedral and its painting of the "Last Supper." Northern Italy furnishes the subject for the first lecture in the course of six illustrated lectures by Rev. Geo. F. Kennott in the First Trinitarian Congregational church, Dutton street, on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. The lecture will be illustrated by 150 choice views, many of them colored, made by the best artists in Italy and Switzerland.

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Sheckard, lf	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Evers, 2b	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Schulte, rf	4	1	1	3	1	0	0
Chance, 3b	3	0	0	0	12	1	0
Steinfeld, 2b	4	0	0	0	1	1	0
Hoffman, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0	0
Tinker, ss	3	1	1	4	2	3	1
King, c	3	1	2	2	0	0	0
Overall, p	3	0	1	1	0	3	0
Totals	31	6	7	13	27	14	1

DETROIT

	ab	r	h	b	po	a	e
McIntyre, lf	4	0	0	0	3	0	0
O'Leary, ss	3	0	0	0	1	1	0
Crawford, cf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Cobb, rf	4	0	0	1	1	0	0
Rossman, 1b	4	0	0	0	8	1	0
Scheffer, 3b	3	0	2	2	0	1	0
Schmidt, c	3	0	1	1	7	0	0
Dowds, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
Donovan, p	2	0	0	0	0	1	1
Jones	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	1	4	4	24	8	1

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## CHICAGO CUBS CITY PHYSICIAN

Won First Game in the World's Series

DETROIT, Oct. 12.—Chicago defeated Detroit Saturday in the first of the series of games for the world's championship. The story of the game is given below:

First Inning.  
Chicago—Sheckard doubled to right field, Cobb falling in the wet grass as he reached for the ball. Evers struck out. Schulte out. Schaefer to Rossman, Sheckard taking third. Chance walked. Chance steals second. Hoffman fled to Crawford. No runs.

Second Inning.  
Chicago—Hoffman out. Downs to Rossman. Tinker fled to Crawford who made a wonderful one-hand catch. Evers walked. Ruelbach felled King. O'Leary to Downs. No runs.

Third Inning.  
Chicago—Refor Sheckard came to bat a dozen bushes of sawdust were sprinkled around the plate and the pitchers' box. The rain is falling heavily. Sheckard doubled over first base. Evers bunted toward third endeavoring to sacrifice but Schaefer felled him and Evers was out. Sheckard taking third. Schulte singled between first and second scoring Sheckard, Evers taking second. Manager Jennings sent Summers out to warm up. Chance bunted and Killian threw Evers out at third, Chance being safe at first.

Steinfeld singled to left, scoring Schulte and took second while Chance took third on poor handling of the throw. Hoffman walked, filling the bases. Tinker hit to Downs forcing Hoffman at second. Chance scoring on the play. Tinker then stole second. Which hit to third a slow bouncer which slipped through Schaefer's hands, Steinfield scoring.

King tried to steal but was out. Schulte to Downs. Evers run. Detroit—Tinker made a wonderful stop of Downs' grounder, throwing him out to Chance. Summers struck out. McIntyre fouled to King. No runs.

Fourth Inning.  
Chicago—Ruelbach struck out. Sheckard singled to center, his third hit. Evers sacrificed, Summers to Rossman. Schulte fled to McIntyre. No runs.

Detroit—O'Leary out. Tinker to Chance. Crawford lined to Evers. Cobb out, Evers to Chance. No runs.

Fifth Inning.  
Chicago—Chance fouled to Schmidt. Steinfield walked. Hoffman forced Steinfield, O'Leary to Downs. Tinker was out, Schaefer to Rossman. No runs.

Sixth Inning.  
Chicago—Killing fled to McIntyre who made a pretty running catch. Ruelbach out to Downs to Rossman. Sheckard fled to McIntyre. No runs.

Detroit—Downs bunted to Ruelbach who threw him out at first. Summers hit to Ruelbach who threw him out at first. Cobb hit the ball into the mud in front of the plate and it rolled out of King's reach. O'Leary singled. Crawford hit a little grounder to Ruelbach who retired him easily at first. No runs.

Seventh Inning.  
Chicago—The rain had ceased somewhat at the beginning of the seventh inning. Evers hit a grounder to Rossman and was safe when Rossman waited too long for Summers to cover the bag. Schulte sacrificed, Summers to Rossman. Downs fumbled Chance's grounder and hit the ball into first. Evers taking third. Steinfield fled to Crawford and Evers scored on the throw. O'Leary and Downs tried unsuccessfully to catch Chance but the Chicago captain made second. Hoffman out, Summers to Rossman. One run.

Detroit—Cobb's hit was too hot for Ruelbach to handle and he was safe at first. Rossman singled over second base, Cobb taking third by a daring run. Rossman went to second on an attempt to catch Cobb at third. Schaefer struck out. Schmidt hit to Tinker and was thrown at first, Cobb scoring on the play. Rossman was held at second. Downs doubled down the third base line, scoring Rossman. Summers drove a pop fly just over Tinker's head and Downs scored. Ruelbach was taken out and Overall put in to pitch.

McIntyre was hit by pitched ball. O'Leary fled to Schulte, three runs. Score: Chicago, 5; Detroit, 4.

Eighth Inning.  
Tinker singled to right and went to second on a slow throw in. King sacrificed. Summers to Rossman. Tinker got to third. Overall struck out. Sheckard was thrown out at first by O'Leary. No runs.

Crawford walked. Overall was taken out and Brown went in the box. Crawford advanced to second on a wild pitch. Cobb was safe when Chance dropped Brown's throw. Cobb's hunt, Crawford taking third. Rossman doubled over second, scoring Crawford. Cobb went to third and then scored when Hoffman's throw went wild. Schaefer out, King to Chance.

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Ninth Inning.  
Chicago—Rossman retired Evers unassisted on a grounder. Schulte hits a fly on the ground to O'Leary. Chance singled over second. Steinfield singled over third, bases now filled. Hoffman hit safely to left, scoring Schulte and Chance. Tinker bunted safely in front of the plate. Schulte falling down and Steinfield scoring. Hoffman and Tinker worked a double steal. King singled to center scoring Hoffman and Tinker.

Brown sacrificed. Summers to Rossman. Sheckard fled to Crawford. Five runs.

Detroit failed to score in the ninth inning.

FUNNYLAND

"A Daughter of Eve" is a somewhat different story of Ireland is the leading picture in Funnyland today. It is an unusually well produced, cleverly acted and the scenery shown is excellent. "The Salmon Dance" is a most laughable farce of the celebrated Skene, and "The Two Great Girls" is a stirring dramatic picture. The songs are "Lost My Heart When I Saw Your Eyes" and "Heart of My Heart."

FOR SENATOR

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DEATHS

SMITH—News has been received in this city of the death at San Bernardino, Cal., recently of Llewellyn E. Smith, who was formerly a resident of Lowell and employed by the C. B. Coburn Co. He leaves a wife and three children, a sister, Mrs. W. R. Kew of Lowell, and a sister, Mrs. F. R. Kew of Lowell.

FINNERTY—Mrs. Bridget Finnerty died yesterday at her home in Andover street in North Tewksbury. She formerly resided at Milford, N. H. She leaves a husband Martin, three sisters, Mrs. John Lally and Mrs. Miss Catherine Finnerty, a brother, N. H. and Sister Maria Stanislaus of Notre Dame convent, Worcester, two daughters, Mrs. Michael Gorman of Lowell and Mrs. Mary Finnerty of North Tewksbury, and a son, John Finnerty.

SULLIVAN—Miss Katherine M. Sullivan died last night at her home, 35 Mt. Washington street. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mary and late Patrick Sullivan. She leaves besides her mother, four brothers, Michael J., Daniel F., and Jeremiah D., all of this city, and James A. Sullivan of New Bedford, and three sisters, the Misses Nellie M. and Josephine T. Sullivan and Mrs. James E. Greeley of Boston.

WOOD—Miss Sarah Celeste Wood died Saturday evening at the residence of her nephew, Larkin T. Trull, 66 Fairmount street, with whom she had lived for the past seven years. She was 87 years old. For nearly 60 years she had been actively and successfully engaged in business in Philadelphia, and upon retirement from it came east to spend her declining years among the scenes of her childhood. She had always taken a deep interest in the welfare of the Baptist church of Tewksbury, and a year ago gave it a beautiful organ in memory of her two sisters, Ellen and Miranda Trull. Aunt Celeste, as she was familiarly called, will be missed by a large circle of relatives and friends.

LAWSON—Robert Lawson, an old and highly respected resident of Belvidere died Sunday at his late home, 230 Concord street, aged 75 years. Deceased was a native of Hawick, Scotland, and is survived by two sons and six daughters. He was a devoted grandfather. Funeral will take place from the residence Tuesday morning at 8:15 o'clock and mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Arrangements are under the direction of Undertaker Peter Dayer.

FUNERAL NOTICES

WOOD—Died in this city, Oct. 10, at 65 Fairmount street, Miss Sarah Celeste Wood, aged 87 years and 10 months. Funeral from the residence of Larkin T. Trull, 66 Fairmount street, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Private casket flowers.

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

## Preservation of New England's Resources Was Discussed

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—An official statement regarding the conference of New England governors held Saturday afternoon at the Algonquin club, was given out last night by Frank L. Dean, the secretary of the conference, with the authorization of the governors of Massachusetts, Connecticut, Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine, and the governor-elect of Maine. The statement in part follows:

"For the first time in the history of New England as far as known, the governors of every New England state met in conference at the Algonquin club on Saturday afternoon at the invitation of Governor Guild, and definitely decided upon the program for the coming conference on the preservation of New England's resources. There is a peculiar bond which unites the New England states not only in community of aspiration but even in material interests. Though the experiment was somewhat sensational, the conference of governors brought out a most remarkable harmony of feeling and in every case the details of the program adopted met with unanimous approval. It was generally agreed that there were great possibilities of advantage to the entire section.

"The representation of the various states was confirmed as follows:

"That the governors should themselves participate in it and should invite as members the lieutenant-governors, the attorney general, the presidents of New England senates, and speakers of New England houses of representatives, together with the members of congress and senators from New England." To these official members of the conference it was decided that the governors of the different states should add prominent citizens, representing the various walks of life to the number of two for each representative in congress and two for each senator from New England states.

"It was decided that if anything was to be accomplished, the subjects of discussion must of necessity be rigidly

restricted. The three topics of discussion for this, the first conference of its kind, will be tree planting, the protection of shell fish and the construction and maintenance of state highways, together with the regulation and taxation of automobiles.

"Tree planting will occupy the attention of the conference on the first day; the protection of lobsters, clams and other shell fish on the second day, and the construction and maintenance of highways, with the possibility of uniform regulation and taxation of automobiles, on the third day. In each case expert specialists are to be invited by the governors to address the meeting. It is expected that a discussion which will be restricted to the accredited delegates will follow.

"In regard to tree planting, the experts invited will not merely discuss the planting of forest trees and the extension of forest tracts, but also attention will be given to the planting of fruit trees and the extension and improvement of New England orchards.

"It was discovered that the widest discrepancy exists in the state laws of New England in regard to shell fish, particularly lobsters. The difference of law in the various states will be made clear and experts of international reputation will be asked to establish, if possible, a uniform policy for the retention and extension of this important source of food supply.

"On the third day attention will be given not merely to methods of construction and materials of road building, but particularly to the establishment of inter-state trunk lines of thoroughfares, running logical and carefully prepared routes from one great center of New England to another and to the confines of this section.

"The widest difference of state laws in regard to automobiles and even in regard to the principles of their regulation, will be pointed out. It is hoped, among other things, that a uniform method of automobile regulation, if not of taxation, may be adopted for all New England.

All of these meetings will be thrown open to the public.

## Selectmen Charged With Receiving More Than Salaries

METHUEN, Oct. 12.—Considerable of a sensation was created Saturday afternoon when Sheriff Abbott of Lawrence served summonses on Selectmen M. F. Emerson, Henry N. Hall and Samuel Rushton and Town Treasurer J. S. Howe to appear in court at Salem today. Townsman stated that Col. Sweeney, counsel for the defendants, had arranged for their appearance Wednesday instead of today.

The selectmen and town treasurer have been summoned into court as a result of a bill filed by a number of citizens, including John Welch, C. H. Hall, Loren O. Norris, Alfred C. Gaunt, Clinton A. Clark, L. P. Smith, S. K. Nowell, Arthur J. Crosby, and A. E. Heald, for an injunction to prevent the selectmen from drawing any more salaries and to prevent Town Treasurer Howe from paying them any more money. The bill also asks that Mr. Howe pay back to the town all over \$400 that he has paid to each of the selectmen.

At a town meeting last March it was voted to employ a clerk to the selectmen at \$600 a year. It was also voted that the selectmen be paid \$400 each for the performance of the duties of selectmen and assessors. It is now claimed that the selectmen have drawn orders for their salaries in excess of this amount and that they have been paid by the town treasurer.

There is a law that assessors shall be paid \$3.50 for a day's work and it is said that the selectmen were informed after the vote of the town last spring that if they desired they could draw the \$400 for their services as selectmen and collect \$3.50 a day for the time they worked at assessing.

Town Treasurer Howe yesterday said that the by-law providing that he should not pay out any money in excess of the appropriations was a hard one to contend with. The selectmen draw all orders and keep the town books, he said, so that he has no means of knowing whether or not the appropriations are being exceeded. The orders for their salaries had come along as usual to him and he had paid them. Mr. Howe, as well as the selectmen, is considerably wrought up over the matter. The action to reduce the salaries of the selectmen was taken after they were duly elected last spring, and at the time many citizens claimed it was an unfair proceeding. Others, however, claimed that if the selectmen did not want to submit to it they had the opportunity to resign. The attempt to secure an injunction will probably result in a general controversy over town affairs, as many of the townspeople approve of the action of the plaintiffs, and many others are in sympathy with the selectmen.

## Lowell Lad Died in a Barn

FALL RIVER, Oct. 12.—A bank book on a Lowell institution which bore the name of Royal R. Phelps was found on the body of a 17-year-old boy found dead in the barn of Medical Examiner Thomas F. Gunning yesterday.

The young hostler came here three weeks ago and upon entering the physician's employ gave the name of Edward Sands. When he retired Saturday night he was apparently in good health. Death was due to an attack of heart disease.

## IN MEMORIAM

APPRECIATIVE MEMORIAL OF FANNIE MARIA CLARK 1850-1908.

Shortly after daybreak on Monday, Oct. 5, 1908, as the rising sun was slowly dispelling the thick mists which lay like a pall over the land, the spirit of a noble woman, freed from its earthly dwelling place, passed into that realm beyond, which though invisible is none the less real. Long years of association with Miss Clark led me to respect and appreciate her, and to realize the strong influence of an unassuming, devoted life. I feel that that life should be more widely known; that its simplicity, its purity, and its wholesomeness should be recognized; and that the memory of a devoted teacher should ever be held in loving remembrance.

Born of a sturdy New England ancestry, reared in a Christian home where the daily reading of the Bible and family prayer were but the outward symbols of a deep spirituality, trained to service in the church, educated in the common schools, Miss Clark grew to womanhood and entered upon her life work with earnestness, enthusiasm, and faith. How well for thirty-four years she performed that work in this city, with what thoroughness and determination she pursued her allotted tasks, with what patience and persistence she labored at her desk long after the school day was ended, are but little known except to those with whom she was intimately associated. Stern and uncompromising in all her dealings, she swayed neither to the right nor to the left in the performance of her duty. Yet underneath this strict observance of the law lay a heart as tender as a mother's love, and a spirit as gentle and forgiving as that of a loving child. Chargeable in her judgments, temperate in her speech, she stored no malice in her heart.

Miss Clark was always cheerful and happy, ever looking on the bright side of things, and never complaining of the hardships of her work, though, as I know, her burdens were often many. An hour before her death she bade her sister a cheerful "Good morning," as she entered the sick chamber, and I know that had her friends been privileged to say to Miss Clark their last farewell, she would have said: "Say not good night," but in some brighter clime.

Many of Miss Clark's former pupils, now men and women grown, have told me of the debt they owed to her for her thorough and rigorous instruction, and have brought their children to school with the request that they be assigned to her room. Mindful of her straightforwardness, earnestness, conscientiousness and cheerfulness, I would write as her epitaph:

A Faithful, Christian Teacher, Oct. 12, 1908.

Highland School, Charles W. Morey.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## GREAT STRUGGLE BAD FIRE SCARE

Men Fought 535 Feet Blaze in the White House Stable

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—A top the great iron tower at the Brooklyn end of the Williamsburg bridge a thrilling struggle occurred yesterday while hundreds of persons looked on from below. An insane man who had eluded the tower watchman, climbed an iron stairway to the tower, 535 feet above the East river, and was preparing to leap into the river when two policemen climbed up after him. The man turned upon the bluecoats with a razor and then on the narrow footing at the dizzy height a ten-minute fight took place which held all who witnessed it spellbound with horror. The trio were swaying on the verge of destruction on the center of the small platform before the man was overpowered. Then he was handcuffed to a policeman and taken, still struggling, down the tower ladders.

At the eastern district hospital the prisoner gave his name as Joseph Kratz of Brooklyn. He was placed in a padded cell.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—There was a fire scare at the White House about 8 o'clock yesterday morning. President Roosevelt and his family were about, when a blaze was discovered in a bale of hay in the loft of the stable. The fire quickly spread to others.

The stablemen organized a fire brigade. With the aid of portable chemical extinguishers they easily got the flames under control and the smoldering hay was thrown out of the building.

The fire is supposed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion, due to the fact that the hay was imperfectly cured.

If the executive stable had been destroyed the president would have had one of his most earnest wishes fulfilled in the construction of a new stable. For several years Mr. Roosevelt and the engineer officer in charge of the executive mansion and grounds have felt that a new stable ought to be built.

An estimate for an appropriation of \$50,000 for that purpose was submitted to congress some time ago, but owing to democratic and other opposition the plan failed and the one blooded Roosevelt horses have had to get along as best they could in a structure that is rapidly becoming antiquated, too small and generally unsatisfactory.

President Roosevelt did not participate in the suppression of the flames.

## MANY INJURED

Riot Followed Attack on Strike Breaker

NEW YORK, Oct. 12.—A number of persons were injured and windows at the Hotel Knickerbocker on Broadway were broken last night in a riot which followed an attack made on Albert Lind, a strike-breaking chauffeur, employed by the New York Taxi-cab company. A crowd of 500 persons, sympathizers with the striking chauffeurs, hurled stones, sticks and other missiles at the chauffeur, who took refuge in the doorway of the hotel. The taxi-cab was wrecked and three windows of the main dining room of the hotel were shattered. The guests of the Knickerbocker fled from the room in panic.

LISBON, N. H., Oct. 12.—The James S. Moore Bobbin and Peg mill, with a large quantity of manufactured stock, was practically destroyed by fire yesterday, causing a loss of \$20,000. The plant was insured for \$60,000. Thirty hands were thrown out of work.

## THE AWARDS

For Exhibits at the Tuberculosis Congress

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Awards to successful competitors participating in the great exhibition which formed a vital part of the recent international congress of tuberculosis, announced yesterday by Dr. John S. Fulton, secretary-general of the congress, and Dr. Henry Boyer, chairman of the committee on exhibition, in a report to Dr. Lawrence F. Flick, chairman of the committee on the congress. The board of judges consisted of Dr. Elmer E. Brown, United States commissioner of education as president, Dr. Frank P. Fulton, of Providence, R. I., as secretary, and twelve committees.

The Brompton hospital, London, won the \$1000 prize, for the best exhibit of a hospital for the treatment of advanced pulmonary tuberculosis, and 400 medals were awarded to the Loomis sanatorium, Liberty, N. Y., and the Massachusetts state hospital, Tewksbury, Mass.

New York won the gold medal for the best exhibit sent in by the states illustrating effective organization for the restriction of tuberculosis.

Special gold medal awards for various kinds of work in the campaign against tuberculosis were made, including one to the Massachusetts state committee of the congress.

## THE FRALMA CLUB

The Fralma club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Secretary Mabel in Manchester street. Considerable business of importance was transacted and it was voted to hold the next meeting at the home of Frank Doherty in Penn avenue. After the meeting the members enjoyed a daily luncheon. Miss Margaret Mahan poured. After luncheon the following program was carried out: Piano solo, Frank Rogers and J. Mahan; song, "King of the Wings," Fralma club quartet, consisting of Messrs. Winn, Doherty, Mullin and La-Jenness. Acting President Doherty spoke ably on "The Club of Clubs."

## FOUND IN RUINS

The Bones of Five Bodies Recovered

RICHFORD, Vt., Oct. 12.—The bones of five bodies were unearthed yesterday by the workmen who are overhauling the ruins of the elevator. None of these can be identified, but other bones which were found on the Canadian Pacific railroad tracks are supposed to be those of Mrs. Jelliffe. One of the victims who was walking there at the time of the explosion.

The railroad company had a gang of nearly 50 men at work upon the ruins yesterday, and a stream of water was pouring steadily upon the flames all day. It made little impression upon the fire, which gradually burned itself out. A rain Saturday night checked the fire materially and made the possibility of the flames spreading more remote.

Solemn and impressive services were held in the Protestant churches yesterday in memory of the missing Protestant dead, and in the Catholic churches for those of that church.

## POTTS DEAD

HE WAS INJURED DURING A FOOT-BALL GAME

CANNONSEURG, Pa., Oct. 12.—William M. Potts, the football player who was injured in a game here on October 3, died yesterday, after having been unconscious since last Monday. He was seized with convulsions for the second time Saturday and an operation brought no relief.

Potts, who was 21 years old, played on the Schuylkill team. During a game with the Elgin school eleven he was kicked on the head.

## SHOT TO DEATH

Negro's Body Was Riddled With Bullets

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## STATE POLICE

Will Hold Convention Here Next Week

The annual convention of the Massachusetts Police association will be held at Lincoln hall, Gorham street, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

The convention will be opened at one o'clock Wednesday afternoon by Vice-President Henry Ryan of Haverhill, owing to the fact that President Edward F. Flanagan of this city is ill.

There will be about 150 delegates in attendance at the convention and Mayor Farnham has been assigned to deliver the address of welcome to the members of the association.

At the conclusion of the session, Wednesday afternoon, the delegates will be escorted to the local theatres, and in the evening a banquet will be given at the New American House at which prominent speakers will be in attendance.

Mayor Farnham will deliver the opening address and among the other speakers will be Lieut.-Gov. Eben S. Draper, the local representatives, Senator Hibbard Harry H. J. Read, chairman of the board of aldermen, Tyler J. Stevens, president of the common council, and other prominent speakers.

Mr. Edward Gallagher, editor of The Sun, will represent the press.

On Thursday morning the delegates will be shown through the city beautiful and on Thursday afternoon the convention will be resumed and its business concluded.

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## BRAVE WOMAN

WAS SAVED BY THE LIFE CREW

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—Waterlogged, her ralls just appearing above the water and threatening every minute to capsize, the schooner Mary Brewer, from Bangor, was towed into port yesterday afternoon.

Taking her turn at the wheel and even helping the men at the pumps to keep the little craft afloat all Saturday night, Mrs. Edna Callahan, wife of the captain, did yeoman service.

Much against her will she was taken off the sinking craft, with her four-year-old son, Robert, by the life saving crew at Nahant, when the vessel was off Swampscott yesterday morning.

## COUPLE GONE

IT IS BELIEVED THAT THEY HAVE ELOPED

WORCESTER, Oct. 12.—Upon complaint of Frank E. Wilson of Howarth's Village, Oxford, and Mrs. Charles H. Stanley of Oxford, Officers Portin and Deard of Oxford came to Worcester and were successful in tracing Charles H. Stanley and Mrs. Frank E. Wilson, who are believed to have eloped in an automobile Saturday.

Word was telephoned to the Worcester police, but they failed to head off the couple.

The Oxford officers believe the couple

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